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OATHS **SERIOUS**

GOVT. APPEAL.

ALL RIDER MAINS TO BE CUT OFF ON NOV. 1

OFFICIAL REASONS

The Director of Public Works forwards copies of two appeals which it is proposed to distribute National Government of China took to all water consumers, and a state- their oaths of office yesterday:ment of the reasons for not extend- General Tan Yen-kai; chairman of E. Midgeley, of the s.s. "Tai Lee," ing restriction outside the Rider the Executive "Yuan." Main areas, as follow:-

Owing to the low water level of ter). the Storage Reservoirs on the Island, restriction of water supply "Christian General" (Minister for was introduced in the Rider Main War). Areas on September 9.

It was then hoped that there might be considerable rainfall to ease the situation before the dry season finally set in but that hope has not been realized.

The dry season appears now to have been definitely set in and no effective rainfall can be expected before early April, and it is possible comparatively little may fall till the end of June.

Under the above circumstances, It is necessary to reduce consumption on the Island to a figure which will leave a margin of safety under the most unfavourable conditions, and now that the weather is cooler the sooner the necessary restrictions are imposed the less drastic they will require to be.

It is proposed on November 1 to cut off all Rider Mains and to place the Rider Main Districts on a street fountain supply available. throughout the twenty-four hours.

It is not, however, fair or reasonable that one section of the community only should be made to bear the entire burden of the necessary reduction in supply. Bath Water

For many reasons it is not considered desirable at present to introduce actual restrictions to Communications). metered property, but Government would earnestly appeal to all consumers to cut down their supply at least twenty-five per cent. and economise as far as possible in

every way. In the majority of cases a reduction in consumption of twenty-five per cent. merely means cutting out easily avoidable waste.

Bath water should be used for watering gardens and plants and for other purposes, such as washing down verandahs and drains, and servants should be ordered to economise as far as possible.

It is a simple matter for consumers to read their meters daily and so make sure that their orders are being carried out.

Government will carefully scrutinize the consumptions as registered by individual meters, and take such action as may be deemed necessary where waste is apparent.

Should voluntary restriction prove ineffective, it will be necessary to introduce compulsory restrictions.

Second Notice

The second notice reads:-Owing to the low water level of the Storage Reservoirs on the Island it has become a vital necessity that the consumption of water. for all purposes should be reduc-

The co-operation of the public in preventing waste and reducing consumption to a minimum is earn-

estly requested. "Reasons Why"

The following reasons are given side the Rider Main Areas:-

Danger of fire. If the mains services would not function and of mains is dangerous and certain minor capacity as freight or passen death was entirely accidental.—Reu- sion Hung Yau admitted was part sor Charles Nicolie, Director of the the Fire Brigade would be without to lead to bursts and leakages. gers' brokers for the benefit of the ter's American Service. the means of fighting fires, at least When a main has been emptied, charters. The charters thus rein their initial stages when the it naturally becomes filled with air, ceive some consideration for allow-Brigade is most effective. Even and when the main is recharged ing these people free passage and to New York, dated Oct. 21. It stated made a present of the coat to the with a turncock standing by the this air has to be expelled as the carry small quantities of merchan- that Benny and Terence Waldman, necessary valves, in some cases an water fills the pipe. With a single dise and freight is undoubtedly paid two grandsons of the millionaire effective water supply could not be main on a rising grade its filling indirectly. ensured for possibly half an hour is simple and not dangerous, but For these reasons I am unable to down in the "Titanic" in 1912, met or more after notice to turn on with complicated mains in cross accept the argument of the defence a terrible deather by felling down water had been given. This disad-streets at all sorts of gradients that this form of merchandise is thirteen storeys of analysersper. The No. 81, Hee Wong terrace, denied vantage does not occur in the Rider very slow and careful filling is personal luggage and I find that children were on the roof of the all knowledge of the woman in the are always charged.

would be negligible, if any, main is designed to withstand.

THEIR "5 WORDS"

HIS TURN MARSHAL CHIANG'S REQUEST

CHRISTIAN GENERAL"

Nanking, To-day.

The following members of the new

Dr. C. T. Wang (Foreign Minis-

General Feng Yu-hsiang, i.e., the

CARGO WORKING DECISION

APPEAL FAILS

MARINE MAGISTRATE AGAINST CAPT. E. MIDGELEY

BUT FINE REDUCED

Judgment was delivered by Comdr. ed to \$150.

After the judgment was read out,



Feng Yu-haiang, best known as the "Christian General," who calls himself the "worst-dressed soldier in China," seen in a characteristic pose-unkempt and unshaved.

Mr. T. V. Soong (Finance Minis-

Mr. Sun Fo (Minister of Rail-

Dr. H. H. Kung (Minister of In-

Mr. Yi Pei-chi (Minister of Agri-Mr. Chiang Mon-lin (Minister of

Mr. Hsueh Tuh-pi (Minister of

Mr. Chow Tai-wen (Vice-Minister of the Interior). Professor Tsai Yuan-pei represent-

ed the Central Kuomintang. Marshal Chiang Kai-shek (chairman of the State Council) asked the new ministers to remember the five words:-pure, careful, industrious, strict, alert.—Reuter.

"YANKEE DOODLE"

RECORD FLIGHT FROM N. YORK TO LOS ANGELES

24 HOURS 55 MINUTES

Minesfield, Los Angeles,.

Yesterday. The monoplane "Yankee Doodle," piloted by captain C. B. D. Collyer and carrying the owner and Harry Tucker, arrived from New York on non-stop flight of 24 hours, and 55 minutes, which is claimed as record.—Reuter's American Service.

from the taps would be possibly black and certainly brown. This water would be run to waste, and so, much of the possible economy would go down the drains.

This is particularly so in the are wrought iron.

tain supply, as the principal mains ing to the joints will form and travention of ordinance. The quantity and their mother lifted the land that allowed in the House of the Labour in journeys between London and travention of ordinance. The quantity and their mother lifted the land that allowed in the House of the Labour in journeys between London and travention of ordinance. The quantity and their mother lifted the land the lan hydraulic pressures and shocks will tity loaded appears to be small and younger boy on to the low paraget convicted, he still denied that he had Peers in the House of Lords in suc- the capitals of the Empire.

Consumers would probably draw Supplies outside Rider Main more than required and would Areas are either by street fountain | Doncaster (Yorkshire) Guardians throw away the old water unused or by water. Wastage in metered have received a letter enclosing &1 and draw from water each day supplies can be quickly noticed; as from a man at Harrow, Middlesex, TO-DAY'S DOLLAR When the mains filled up each meters are read-monthly and com- in appreciation of kindness shown day, the sediment in them would parison can at once be made with to him when ill in Doncaster Work. be stirred up and the first water previous consumptions. house some years ago,

stated that the case involved a ques- sworn at \$12,200. tion of principle. He contended that

according to the evidence given at

the last hearing, it was the "run-

ners" that participated in the load-

ing and not the ship's crew or the

tallymen. The case, he added, might possibly be submitted to a higher The judgment is as follows:--The evidence shows that certain goods were placed on board on Sunday and the question arises as

to whether these goods come under the definition of cargo. The ordinance does not define cargo but merely states what is not included in the term cargo and amongst the exceptions is personal

baggage. Strouds judicial dictionary, however defines "baggage" and this term is usually employed in connection with ships as "such articles of necessity or personal convenience as are usually carried by passengers for their personal use" and is syno-

nymous with personal luggage. luggage" we are able understand such articles necessity or convenience are usually carried passengers for their personal use and not merchandise or other valuables although carried in the trunks of passengers which are not designed for any such use but for other purposes such as sale or the like.

Sunday Working In this case the goods were not required for the personal use for passengers but were most probably for not extending restriction out- Peak where the distribution pipes sold at a profit at the termination of the voyage. The metier of the pas-

dractically cut down, the economy pressures far in excess of those the reduced to \$150.00.

WHY HONG KONG WAS PREFERRED

INTERIOR

TESTATOR'S PRAISE CHAOTIC CONDITIONS IN THE

AN EX-BANK COMPRADORE

"Owing to the chaotic conditions, Marine Court this morning, at the years in succession, I brought my states that Russo-Japanese sources Navy to bear the name of "Lon- Air, delivered this evening an ad-Marine Court this morning, at the years in succession, I brought my states that \$450,000 from the Komin-don" is now undergoing her trials, Empire before the Royal Geo-E. Midgeley, of the s.s. "Tai Lee," purchased a house in the New Kow- tern in Moscow was transferred via the result of which will be kept graphical Society of Scotland.

Who was fined \$250 on a charge of purchased a house in the New Kow- Review the Course the Cour velopment Co. Ltd.) for the price of exactly the sum of \$18,916.50."

So said Chan Yan-po in He died at a friend's propaganda.—Reuter. No. 64a, Bonham-road, on June 2, leaving an estate in Hong Kong valued at \$8,100. Probate has been granted to the widow, Chan Nam Shi, living temperarily at Bonham-road, who is sole execu-

Died Intestate

Emile Nam Hee, formerly the Chinese chief compradore of the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation at Salgon, Cochin-1926, leaving a widow, Sit Jes Neo, that hereafter all shipments of

at No. 26, Rue d'Ayot, Saigon. even when accompanied by permite, at \$25,900 and letters of administra- structions from the Central authotion have been granted to Mr. L. R. rities. Andrewes, attorney of the widow.

\$12,000 Left Probate to the will of Tang Hushi, alias Hu Pu King, widow, who died at No. 41, Caine-road, on May 10, has been granted to Tang Man-kui (son) Tang) Cho Shi (daughter-in-law) and In Ching-tal, Mr. Wang Peh-chun (Minister of Mr. M. K. Lo, who appeared on be- nephew-in-law. The bequests are of half of the charterers of the vessel, a family nature. The estate was

PIONEER PICTURES

.To-morrow's "China Mail" art supplement will, literally, overflow. The supply of "ploneer service" pictures is such that some will have to be printed in the news sections of the paper. These include those of the Navy League ceremony and an excellent group at the Chinese Recreation

A number of other illustrations must be held over for want of room. But there is much of interest, including some, relating to

the following topics: The relay race at the S.C.A.A. sports, won by the 2nd Batt. K.O.S.B., a concert in the City Hall, a function held by the Indian section of the St. John Ambulance, a garrison "finals' hockey team, Kwangsi by Dr A. Cannon, the aquatic sports at the V.R.C., the signalling section of

one of the regiments. 'As usual, all the Saturday features will be of the best. Be sure to get the "China Mail" for its features, news and pioneer illustrated art supplement.

TRAGEDY DEATHS DECLARED TO BE ACCIDENTAL

CORONER'S VIEWS

New York, Yesterday.

tioned in a Reuter telegram from Benjamin Guggenheim, who went

CHINESE REDS GET \$450,000!

FROM MOSCOW UNDERGOING TRIALS HOW IT REACHED SHANGHAI VIA TO GO TO MEDITERRANEAN AS

BERLIN & TOKYO

TO BE USED FOR PROPAGANDA

Shanghai, To-day. The "North China Daily News"

of a Japanese subject in Shanghai, "London" is to go out to the Medihis Chinese Communists for subversive one of the 10,000 ton County Class with our capital more open, by rea-

[Note: The Komintern is the or- "cities." ganisation of Chinese Communists in Russia.]

ARMS FORBIDDEN ORDERS TO THE SHANGHAI

CUSTOMS

PRECAUTIONARY MEASURE

Shanghai, To-day. The State Council of the National China, who was a French citizen, died Govtrnment has notified the Super- tish Wireless. intestate on or about August 6, intendent of Customs at Shanghai three boys and three girls. He lived munitions passing though Shanghai, His estate in Hong Kong is valued must be detained pending final in-

> This precautionary measure is aimed against the unlimited importation of arms and ammunition into Central China. Renter.

FISCAL_EVASION QUESTION AT GENEVA

IMPORTANT RESOLUTIONS

Geneva, Yesterday. under the auspices of the League, is considering the question of dou- Reuter. ble taxation and fiscal evasion. A resolution was adopted as to the profits of shipping companie being only taxable in the State,

where its effective management concern was established. The conference also adopted a Japanese amendment extending the principle to commercial air trans-

port undertakings.-Reuter. 12 MONTHS' "HARD

CHINESE WOMAN AND ROBBERY LOOT

-A "BRUTE BEAST

This morning Mr. R. E. Lindsell passed sentences, totalling months with hard labour, on the Chinese woman arrested at No. 142. Hollywood-road, and charged with reciving stolen property, which had formed part of the loot of two armed robberies at No. 368, Des Vœux-road West, and No. 31, Hee Wong-terrace-in which two men (Hung Yau and Lau Cho) were sentenced at the Criminal Sessions to five years' hard labour and

strokes each. The woman this morning called these two prisoners as witnesses for weeks. Reuter. the defence.

Convicts' Evidence Hung Yau said that part of the stolen property was given to the woman by a robber named Lau On not in custody, to pawn for him on commission. She did so not knowthat he had bought it specially for

Lau Cho, who is at present in jail in connection with the robbery at dock or the stolen property in Court.

In dismissing this witness, the Magistrate remarked disgustedly

THE NEW H.M. "LONDON"

OF THE "COUNTY" CLASS

FLAGSHIP

London, Yesterday. The latest ship in the British

London has always been very capitals of Western Europe. keenly interested in ships named after it, which have been numer-

ships of the regular Navy. an 18-knot battleship of 15,000 attacking us. tons, which distinguished herself He was glad to think that while. in the Dardanelles in 1915 and five years ago there were practicalafterwards co-operated with the ly no air force squadrons available

MALARIA

WHAT IS PROPOSED AT GENEVA .

TASK FOR EXPERTS.

Geneva Yesterday. The League's Hygiene Committee has adopted the Malaria Sub-Committee's report, in which is proposed that each Government institute a perman-NEERENCE DISCUSSING THE ent Central Organisation com-

posed of experts to undertake maiaria investigation and also formulate recommendations regarding the selection of methods of combating majaria and a programme of A conference, which is being held research into the relations between housing conditions, and majaria.-

SIR A. CHAMBERLAII HIS HEALTH GREATLY IMPROVED

HOME DECEMBER 10

London, Yesterday. tish Foreign Secretary, now in California, is expected to return via Vancouver and Canada and to be

home on Saturday, November 24 It is anticipated that he will attend the League of Nations' Council meeting on December 10.

Sir Austen's health has greatly improved.-British Wireless Ser-

FAMOUS FRENCH STATESMAN

TO VISIT FAR EAST Geneva, Yesterday. M. Albert Thomas, Director of the International Labour Office, 12 leave next week on a visit to China

and Japan. He will remain in Japan for three

NOBEL PRIZE

AWARDED TO PROFESSOR NICOLLE OF TUNIS

Stockholm. Yesterday. sengers who are termed "runners" is the deaths of the Waldeman boys, an- ing that the things had been stolen. The Nobel prize for medicine in Continual charging and emptying somewhat obscure, but they act in a nounces that he is satisfied that the A coat found in the woman's posses- 1928, has been awarded to Profes-

LORD PARMOOR

London, Yesterday Lord Parmoor has been unanim- two-thirds of the time now spent

PORTUGUESE MINISTER

The closing rate of the dollar on Cho) had no decency at all and was a "Empress of Asia," which is due in also believed in their success. Bri-Idemand, to-day was 2/0 5/16. Cornte bear.

OFFICIAL VIEWS

SIR SAMUEL HOARE ON OUR

30 SQUADRONS FORMED

Sir Samuel Hoare, Secretary for

wno was med \$250 on a charge or with loon Tong being lot No. 809, from Berlin to M. Anikiev, the Soviet secret in accordance with modern Dealing with the problems which out a permit. The fine was reduction the Hop Chung Building Co. (Kow- Comercial Attache in Tokyo, who Admiralty practice. As soon as the invention of aviation had loon Tong and New Territories Des forwarded the amount to the credit the trials are completed H.M.S. gold that The British Empire he whence it either passed or is in the terranean as flagship of one of the mune from invasion. We came process of passing into the hands of cruiser squadrons there. She is out of it victorious, indeed, but and not one of the 8,000 tons son of this new invention, to foreign attack than any of the great

What Must Be Done

Aviation had, however, imposed reduce, over the whole world, the burden of armaments. How could we find some advantage from flying to set off against this liability?

Five years of experience with was by making the fullest possible use of the unique power of the mobility of the seroplane for effecting economies in Imperial demunications and resources of our

Imperial Defence There were certain fields of imperial defence in which air force wing could be economically used as a substitute for the older military forces rather than as a supplement to them. A conspicuous instance of this policy was the case of Irak where we had been able to reduce the garrison which in 1921 comprised 38 Imperial battalions costing over £20,000,000 yearly to five squadrons of the Royal Air Force

£2,000,000. A single squadron of the Air Force had forced the Iman of Yemin, who had for years encroached upon the Aden Protectorate, to leay it and release Sheikhs friend-

In Somaliland aeroplanes had Frontier of India, with practically no casualties on either side, peace had been imposed upon unruly

tribes by British airmen. power, like see power, would be concentrated upon - two or three strategic points of the Empire and when units, instead of being uneconomically tied down to local defence, would be freely moved from one threatened point to another. Such a policy presupposed the closest possible liaison between the air

forces of the Empire.

Dealing with aviation as a means of improving, Imperial communications, Sir S. Hoare said that early next year a regular aeroplane service would be running every week between London and Karachi. Another great trunk aeroplane service was projected between London and Capetown. He was daily expecting detailed proposals which would enable him to judge whether

In regard to airships he believed they could be used for eliminating

Unless hours of supply were very be set up in the mains, causing the fine previously imposed will be The other boy tugged her arms to been concerned in any robbery. The fine previously imposed will be The other boy tugged her arms to been concerned in any robbery.



AIR PROBLEM

London, Yesterday.

Year by year, he said, we must ous, both armed, merchantmen and give our minds and money to building up in air force strong enough The last warship of the name was to deter any would-be enemy from

Italian fleet at Toranto. After the in Great Britain dor home defence armistice she was broken up. Bri there were now 80 squadrons out of 52 that were being formed. upon British taxpayers a new item in expenditure upon armaments at the very time when we wished to

> the Air Ministry had impressed that the only way in which that liability could be counter balanced fence and of developing the com-

scattered Empire.

without a since Imperial battalion Sir Austen Chamberlain, the Bri- in support, costing less than

> ly to the British, whom he had kidnapped. in a few weeks, removed the constant danger of the Mullahs' rising and on the North-West

He foresaw the time when air

Imperial Communications

SUCCEEDS HALDANE IN THE the creation of this service was pos-

had been engaged upon the design and construction of two great air-Shanghai, To-day, ships. He anticipated the success had the decency at least to try The Portoguese Minister is leav, of the experiment. The Dominion and help the woman out. He (Lau ing Shanghai to morrow by the sat Governments were co-operating and

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IN MACAO

RRANGEMENTS FOR CHARITY FAIR-

FIRMS EXHIBITING

Macao, Oct. 28. Arrangements are being made for the opening of the Macao Charity & Commercial Fair. The Inaugural Day has been fixed for November 3 Nationale de Credit, Banque de and work is proceeding very briskly on the pavilions. Despite rumours to the contrary, no change will be made in the date of the opening, and Macao will be the venue of thousands from Hong Kong, Canton and other places in the proximity of the Portuguese

> This is not the first Fair at Macao but the objects of the present venture are much greater than anything ever attempted before in this part of the world. In the autumn stof 1926 a big Fair was organised by the Macao Port Works Department and was a great success. The present effort will be much more far-reaching. The commercial section on this occasion will not be of the same nature as in 1926, when goods of all descriptions were assembled together with little attempt at grouping, for this year each exhibitor takes a certain space and decorates it suitably in whatever manner convenient.

Commercial Aspects The commercial part of the Fair will be a very attractive one, for all the great commercial establishments having interest in the South China market are represented. Work has almost been completed on pavilions for the Singer Sewing Machine Co., the Macao Electric Lighting Company, the "Foot Ease" Hosiery Company, the China Merchants Tobacco Company, Messrs. A. S. Watson & Company, the Lusi-Current Accounts opened and Fixed tania Garage (Automobile representatives), the Green Island Cement Co., while many more have also commenced work, and a few

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have yet to begin operations.

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A feature of the pavilions this year is the fact that only materials of a semi-permanent nature are being used. The pavilions of mat-

ting which were so prominent in

1926 have not been adopted this

time, unless under exceptional cir-

cumstances in two or three instances. 'It will be observed that the present Fair has set, out to fulfil a two-fold object, namely to secure funds for Macao Charities, but not forgetting the business aspect of Fairs of this nature. In order to raise the funds that it is hoped will be secured, there will be attractions in the form of amusements and diversions, besides various sideshows. The work is being done by an Executive Committee labouring. in the interests of the Santa Casa da Miserdicordia (the Macao Holy Institute of Mercy) under whose auspices the Fair is being run.

Aid to Homeless The Portuguese authorities, faced with the problem of providing food and shelter for almost two thousand persons whose huts were burned down in a conflagration on October 8 last, have voted the sum of \$35,000 towards the building of fire-proof dwellings on the same site. H. E. the Governor has taken great personal interest in the welfare of the sufferers, and the Government has granted over \$2,000 to provide food and necessaries. Local charities have also come to the assistance of the homeless refugees and some money has already been collected towards building of brick houses to replace the straw huts, and the work of collecting funds

At a meeting of the leading peoof Macao, convened by H. E. Senhor Tamagnini Barbosa, the Chinese gentlemen present un dertook to construct two hundred houses of brick and mortars, so that the recent fire was a splendid opportunity for the Chinese gentry of Macao to take a bigger interest in this less fortunate brethren.

These poor Chinese used to occupy wooden, straw-roofed huts in Macao for some years, and the majority of these people are refugees who have sought sanctuary in Macao following persecutions and depredations by Communists and bandits in various parts of South China during recent years. Among these people are a good number whose homes near Paul's Church were similarly des-Macao Races

These is a to be a special race meeting at Macao on November 4 in deference to requests that a meeting should be held during one of the opening days of the Macao Charity & Commercial Fair. The meeting which is to be called a Gymkhana Meeting will be an interesting one, and there are to be eight events.

FOKKER AIRCRAFT

FINANCIAL GROUP TAKES CONTROL

A BIG DEAL

New York, Yesterday. The Fokker Company announces that it is relinquishing the control of the Fokker Aircraft Corporation in favour of a financial group which has subscribed \$4,000,000. group will manufacture all types of aircraft from sports models giant bombers while the Fokker

Company retains a minority terest and will concentrate on designing and developing new types. -Reuter's American Service.

TRADE CONDITIONS IN ITALY

Despite the fact that Italy's foreign trade balance for the first six months of the current year is more unfavourable than it has been for some years, published statistics would seem to show that a slight improvement in the general business situation in the country has taken place. In reviewing conditions as they exist in Italy at the present time a communication from the Anglo-International Bank points out that while the increased debit balance of the country has not been caused by larger imports of raw material and other goods assisting production but by a decline of exports, it is nevertheless the case that a distinct improvement in the labour market is being felt, the number of registered unemployed having fallen from 439,000 at the end of January to 307,000 at the end of May, and 247,000 at the end of June. This decline in the unemployment figures chiefly concerns agriculture and the building trade. the latter having benefitted from the reduction of taxation and the easier credit conditions which the Government has provided in order to assist the trade.- "Glasgow Heraid."

CHINA COTTON

Nanking, Yesterday.

The Ministry of Agriculture and Mining has established a national cotton inspection bureau to gather reports of cotton cultivation in troyed by fire about three years ago. China with the view to introducing improved methods.-Reuter.

> COUNT THE "MAILS."

FIRE BRIGADE RESERVE.-Members of the Shanghai Fire Brigade Volunteer Reserve, with Headquarters

Officers. The Reserve was specially "mentioned" by the Acting Chief Officer, Capt. H. G. Reed, in his report to

OPENING THE WINTER SEASON AT SHANGHAL—Members of the Cercle Sportif Francais held a successful fancy dress ball, when a large number of members and their friends attended to spend a most enjoyable time.—

See Page 3.

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THE EASTERN EXTENSION AUSTRALASIA & CHINA

Telegraph Co. office, Hong Kong:-Patel Company, King's Building,

E. A. LEGGATT, Superintendent. Hong Kong, 18th October, 1928.

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Nos. 5 and 7 Platoons at Corps

No. 6 Platoon at Kowloon Dock.

Pipes and Drums. There will

Hallowe'en Dinner. For those

not be any parade on October 81.

of the Company attending the Din-

ner. Uniform or mufti is optional,

but it is hoped all members of the

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2 Platoon, from October 23, 1928.

Captain F. Syme Thomson, En-

No. 971 L/Cpl. R. Sutherland,

No. 7 Platoon, from October 25,

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NOTICES.

HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE HALF YEARLY GENERAL held in the Jockey Club Room, sued to-day by Lt.-Col. L. G. Bird, Hong Kong Club Annex, on FRI- D.S.O., Commandant, read DAY, 26th October, 1928, at 5.15 follow:-

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> COL. DUARTE VEIGA Chairman.

24th October, 1928.

HONG KONG.

THE FOURTH PAYMENT of School Fees (1928-9) is due on THURSDAY, November 1st.

held in November and Promotions ber 5, 1928 at 5.45 p.m. made the last week in November. November is a good time for New! Boys to join the School.

MONDAY, December 3rd. The on Sunday, October 28, 1928. new Syllabus will be issued in November. French will be added Read. all boys.

February 1st to about MONDAY, Uniform or mufti optional. February 27th, 1929.

W. T. FEATHERSTONE. Headmaster. Hong Kong, 23rd Oct., 1928.

NOTICE.

GEON, has removed his office KAYAMALLY BUILDING Hong Kong, 1st Sept., 1928.

HOME TUITION.

In healthy neighbourhood. Tuesday, November 6 for D.E.L. SCHOOL for GIRLS and SMALL Instruction. Dress: Mufti. in the House of the Principal. In- of all ranks is drawn to this Corps Particulars apply to:

MISS'RUTH CULLEY (Camb. Higher Local). (Camb. Teachers' Diploma). cer: 2/Lieut. R. D. Read. MISS GERTRUDE TURNER (National Frodel Higher Certificate).

KINGSHIP OF CHRIST.

THE Celebration of the Feast of Our Lord, JESUS CHRIST, KING, will take place on SUNDAY, 28th October, 1928, at the Roman Catholic Cathedral, Glenealy. AT 8.30 A.M.—Pontifical High Mass.

His Lordship Bishop H. Valtorta will officiate. General Communion. Exposition of the BLESSED SACRAMENT throughout Sunday.

AT 4.30 P.M.—Recitation of the Holy Rosary. Solemn Procession of the BLESSED SACRA-MENT. Sermon - By the Right Reverend Dr. J. J. Dunn, Aux. Bishop of New York.

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A.F. OSMUND, President of the Committee

THE VOLUNTEERS

THIS WEEK

CORPS ORDERS ISSUED FOR

DETAILS FOR CAMPS

The week's orders for the Hong MEETING of Members will be Kong Volunteer Defence Corps is-

for Gun Drill. Dress: Mufti. Annual Camps The Annual Camps will take place at Fanling, New Territories, strong as possible on Tuesday, Oc-

Acting Secretary, between November 16 and Decem-Hong Kong, 12th October, 1928. ber 9, 1928. The dates for camp for units ex- Headquarters for Machine Gun

cept The Battery and Engineer Training as hereunder, dress Company will be as follows: 1st Week-end p.m. Friday; and November 16 to p.m. November 18.

Drill and Action. 2nd Week-end p.m. Friday, SEVENTH EXTRA RACE MEET- November 23 to p.m. November 25. 3rd Week-end p.m. Friday, tion. Signals only to p.m. December. 4, be no firing at Stonecutters Range 4th Week-end p.m. Friday, De- on Sunday, November 11, owing to that date being Armistice Day.

cember 7 to p.m. December 9. . These dates apply to all units of the Corps. except The Engineer Company who, owing to the nature Platoons will parade at 5.80 p.m. of their training, will have special for Machine Gun' Instruction,

arrangements made for them lat- mufti, as follows: The dates on which various Headquarters.

units wish to concentrate are as follows: 1st Week-end

Corps Band M.I. Coy.

Scottish Co. Portuguese Company. 2nd Week-end Corps Band A.C. Coy. M.G. Coy.

Portuguese Company. 3rd Week-end Signals (4 days) M.G. Co.

4th Week-end Mounted Infantry Co. A. C. Company Scottish Company.

Re above arrangement if any in- parade at Corps Headquarters on dividual. cannot attend on the Friday, November 2 at 5.80 p.m. dates specially earmarked for his for Musketry Instruction. units, he must write to his unit / Lewis Gun. All N.C.O.'s and Men of Lewis Gun Sections will commander and state as much, also paarde at Corps Headquarters on stating on which week-end he can go to camp and thus make up his Friday, November 2 at 5.80 p.m. attendances.

Men can proceed to camp on the other than Lewis Gun Sections evening of the day before i.e. on N.C.O.s. will parade at Corps Head-Friday evenings of November 16, 23, 30 and December 7. Camp is quarters on Friday, November 2 at optional for men of the Reserve 5.80 p.m. for N.C.O.'s Class. Company.

N.C.O.'s to be present. Attendance in camp is a condition for efficiency. Copy of particulars of camp will be sent to each Gun Sections and recruits will parade at Corps Headquarters on member later. Friday, November 2 at 5.80 p.m.

Sports Meeting A meeting of the Sports Comroittee will be held at Volunteer Annual Examinations will be Headquarters on Monday, Novem-

Musketry The Engineer Company and Corps Signals will fire Part II. at 5.30 p.m. on Wednesday, Octo-The New Year's work begins on Table "T" at Stonecutters Range Range Officer: 2/Lieut. R. D.

on the strength and posted as as a Class Subject in the senior Launch will leave Queen's Pier Classes. Chinese is compulsory for at 9 a.m. and call at Kowloon Pier under: at 9.10 a.m.

6 Platoon, from October 18, 1928. The Chinese New Year Holidays Dress: Musketry Order i.e. Rifle, will be from about WEDNESDAY, belt, bayonet, braces and pouches. 2 Platoon, from October 19, 1928.

Arms will be drawn from Corps Headquarters on Friday, October No. 9 Platoon, from October 19, 26, between 9 a.m. and 12 noon, or 2 and 4 p.m., or 5 and 6 p.m. M.C. Section, from October 23, and on Saturday, October 27, between 9 a.m. and 1 p.m. Corps Band

There will be a full Band practice on Tuesday, October 30 and Friday, November 2, 1928, at 5.80 The Battery

Parade at Volunteer Headquarters at 5.25 p.m. on Friday, October 26 and on Tuesday, October

30, 1928. Layer's Class on No. 1 Gun: Gun Drill on No. 2 Gun. Signal-

leave, rejoined for duty on October 22, 1928. lers under Sergeant J. M. Jack. Engineer Co. TYPESTOVER - STEVENAGE. The Company will parade at Within an hour from Lon-Belcher's Fort at 5.15 p.m. on

gineer Company BOYS. A few Boarders received Musketry Part II. The attention service and claimed his discharge, as from September 21, 1928. dividual care and attention. For Order para. 3 regarding Part II. to be fired by the Engineer Company on Sunday, October 28 at Corps Signals. Stonecutters Range Range Offi-

1. Portuguese Company Rifle Club.—The Peak Range has been 2 Corps Signals Parade for Signal Instruction on allotted to the Portuguese Company Monday, October 29 and Thurs- Rifle Club on Sunday, October 28, day November 1, 1928 at Volun-1928. Firing commences at 9 n.m. teer Headquarters, at 5.80 p.m. 2, No. 2 Platoon Rifle Club will meet at 9.80 a.m. on Sunday, Dress: Mufti.

Musketry Part II. The atten- November 4 at Peak Range to comtion of all ranks is drawn to this pete for the Platoon Cup, Part II. Corps Order para. B regarding conditions. Part II, to be fired by the Corps 3.1 Boxing Tournament.—It is Signals on Sunday, October 28 at proposed to hold a Corps Boxing Stonecutters Range Range Off Tournament sometime after Camp.

Company, Commanders, are requestcer: 2/Lieut. R. D. Read. M.I. & A.C. Co.'s ed to ascertain what support is Musketry Fart II. All ranks are likely to be forthcoming in time reminded that Part II. Musketry to discuss the matter at the Sports will be fired at Stonecutters Range Committee Meeting on November on Sunday, November 4: This is 5 when a Sub-Committee will be the last day allotted to the Com- appointed and a programme drawn panies. Range Officer: Lieut. J. E. up.

Armoured Car Co. Car Section. Fridays, October Alderman James, accepted an in-26 and November 2. Parade at vitation to visit Liege, Belgium. Corps Headquarters at 5.80 p.m. He was accompanied by the deputy for run around the Island in the mayor, Sir Percival Bower, and Alderman Sir David Brooks. Armoured Car.

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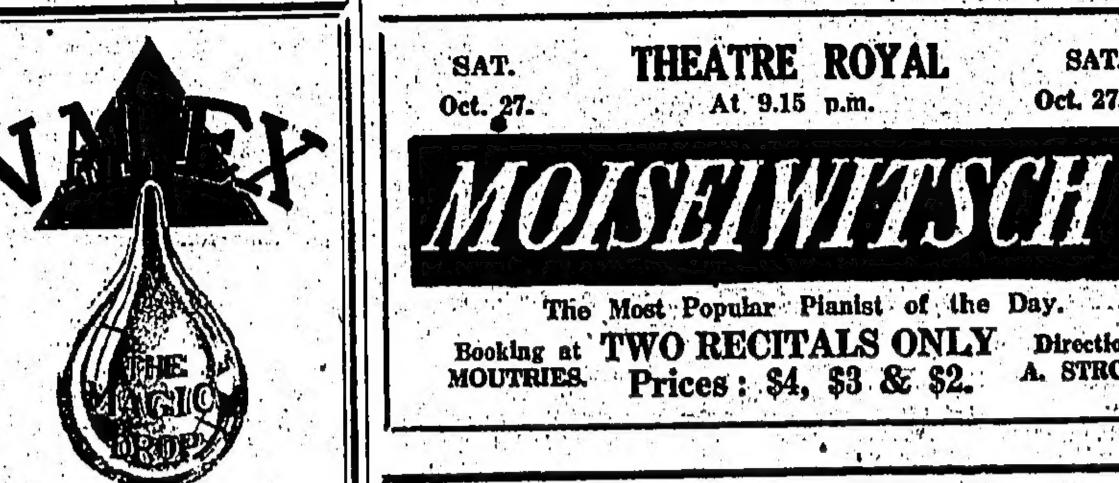
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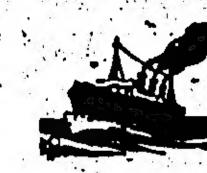
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The biggest French shipbuilding undertaking, the Ste des Chantier et Ateliers de Saint-Nazaire-Penhoet, which has built the largest French vessel affoat, notably the "He-de-France," some years ago comand in the designing and fitting of the launching gear for the amphibian aeroplane carried on the "llede-France," has added a

new company.

Piaz, M. Fould was appointed chair- arrived at Paris (Le Bourget) at man of the company, and he has 2.50 p.m. The mail conveyed was given evidence of his remarkable distributed at Paris at 5.80 p.m., qualities for the organisation and whereas letters transported by the takings by realising, with the skil- ed over on August 25. ful assistance of M. Olphe-Gaillard, The pilot of the aeroplane for the

vision of a means of launching the who has been placed by the Minisaeroplane from the liner, on board ter for Navy at the disposal of the new which space was naturally limited. Societe Trans-Atlantique Aerienne. achievement to its distinguished This difficulty was solved by the He and all those who have taken Charitier et Ateliers de Saint-part in the navigation of the new The idea of operating a combined Nazaire-Penhoet, who fitted on the service are to be congratulated on sea and air service for mail and after part of the "He-de-France" a the success they have obtained in a passengers on the Havre-New York launching apparatus capable of development of such importance, line was first conceived by the late giving to the aeroplane on a very and one which will always stand to M. John Dal Piaz, the former chair- short run a speed above her normal the credit of French commercial man of the Cie Gle Trans- flying speed. The launching ap- enterprise.

The South Pole Ahoy!

The three-masted barkentine "New York" in which Commander

Richard E. Byrd (inset) is to sail for two years' Antarctic explora-

tion. The photo shows the vessel as she appeared after overhaul.

remarkable achievements which length of 27m., and 3.60m. in height.

The many stockholders of the Port of London Authority take, it is to be feared but little interest in the annual accounts of the Port. For their security depends upon London's position as a Port, and the shipping using the Port has to pay a scale of dues calculated to provide the Authority with the amount necessary for its expenses and inerest on its Debt. The accounts for the year to March 31, now issued, show a surplus on Revenue Account of £1,847,548 while interest on Port Stocks, Bills and temporary loans required £1,304,307, cf which last amount however, £37,133 was charged to Subventions in respect of New Works. Actually, the charges against revenue in respect of interest, sinking funds and Insurance Fund Appropriation, after crediting interest, etc., receivable, came to £1,430,785, so that there was deficit on the year's work- Yangtsze in importance. This magniing of £83,237, which re- ficent trade route was opened to forduced the balance brought for- eign traffic in 1897, but how many ward from £674,636 to £591,399. | foreigners travel on this important During the year, however, the Insur- waterway? The scenery along the ance Fund was raised from £293,- | route is beautiful. We recommend it 605 to £600,000, with the assistance to any person who wishes to spend a of £287,509 debited to revenue ac- short and economical holiday. count. The General Reserve stands at £1,000,000, and the stock redemp- MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS | The Dollar round-the-world liner tion fund at £1,286,262, and these funds are represented by investments of £2,822,759. During last Hong Kong arrived in London on Kong via Shanghai. This steamer Atlantique, and the scheme may be paratus is composed of a steel-

> last 7m. length of the runway, the Government service, fell speed being then over 110km. per 14,564,008 for the year 1918.

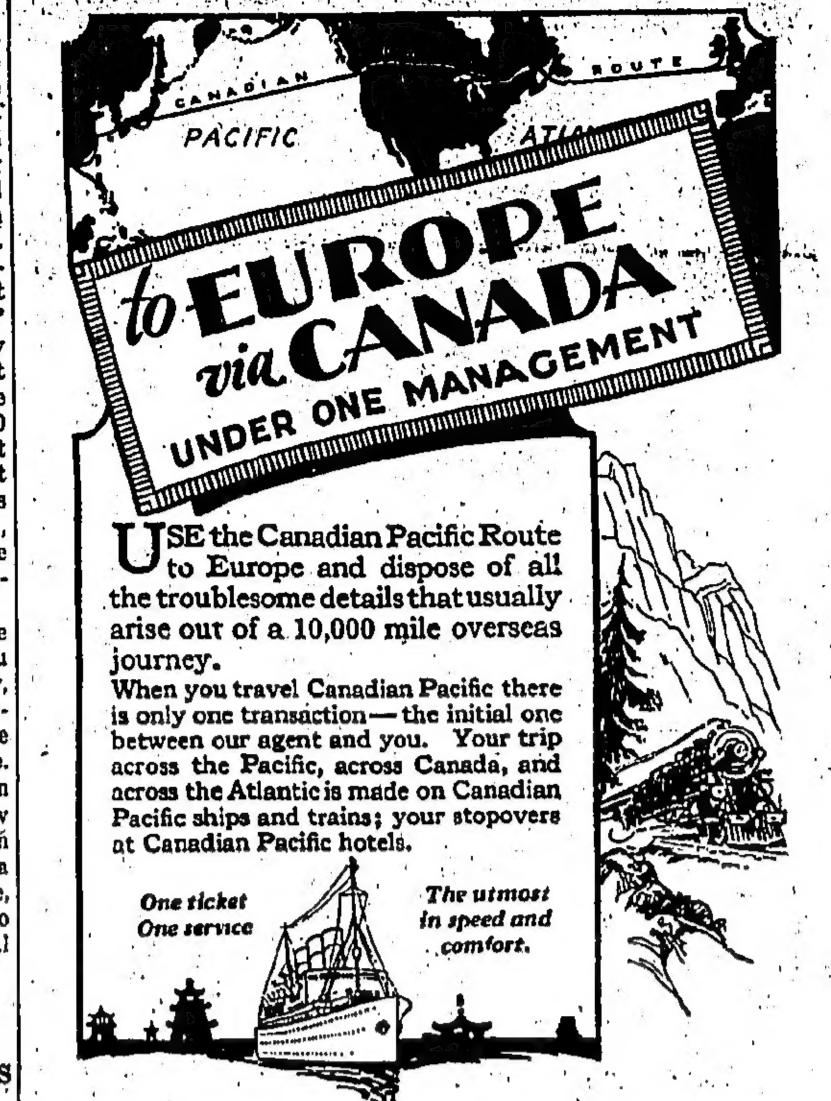
system constructed by the Chantier issued stock for an amount of leave Manila for Hong Kong et Ateliers de Saint-Nazaire- £34,142,698, out of authorised to-morrow at 4 powers of £37,656,246 and a clause will arrive here at 7 a.m. on Mon-The aeroplane used has been con- has been inserted in the Port of day. Oct. 29. This steamer will with landing wheels which can be £43.000,000.—"Morning Post."

The first launch of the aeroplane was performed on August 18, at 1 p.m. (U.S.A. time) at a distance of 450 miles from New York: the aeroplane arrived at that port at 5.17 p.m. and the mail conveyed could be distributed in the evening at 7 p.m., while letters transported by the ship were delivered only in the afternoon of the following day. dent of the O.G.T.; and M. P. Olphe- On the homeward voyage, the aero-Gaillard, managing director of the plane was launched on August 28 at Societe Commerciale des Transports 6.55 a.m., when the "Ile-de-France" Trans-Atlantiques, who (was ap- was 154 miles West from Scilly pointed managing director of the Islands, i.e., about 350 km. West from the coast of England. The Societe Trans-Atlantique Acrienne plane arrived at Cherbourg at 11.30 Following on the death of M. Dal a.m., where it took fuel, and it management of industrial under- "Ile-de-France" could only be hand-

menced the construction of aircraft, the object of his predecessor. first flights was Lieut. de Valsseau The chief problem was the pro- Demougeot, of the French Navy,

PORT OF LONDON ACCOUNTS

regarded as the last of the many frame 34m. long, with an available year the amount of tonnage enteron which the platform bearing the 173. In 1913 the figure aeroplane runs. It is noteworthy 40,080,282, so that here we have that the rate of acceleration is be- some figures which definitely show tween 1.5 and two times that of an improvement in the volume of morrow at 6 p.m. for Manila. trade as compared with pre-war



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NOVEMBER.

29th OCTOBER.

October 24 at 5 a.m. marked the life of that great fitted on its upper part with rails 576,755, as compared with 49,278,- Taft" left Shanghai at 6.00 p.m. on Nov. 4 at 8 a.m. for Mediterranean Wednesday, October 24 and was ex- ports and New York, via Manila, pected to arrive here at about 2.00 Straits, etc. p.m. to-day. She will sail to- The M.V. "Esquilino" (D. & Co.)

> to here to-morrow. The American Mail Liner "Pre- Nov. 11:

hour, by a most ingenious braking The Port Authority has now sident Jackson" is scheduled to Shanghai, Kobe and Yokohama.

"President Adams" is due to sail The P. & O. s.s. "Kalyan" from from Kobe to-morrow for Hong is expected here on Saturday, Nov. The Dollar Liner "President 8 at 6 a.m. and will sail on Sunday,

sailed from Trieste on Sept. 24, and The Ben Line s.s. "Bennevis" is due in Hong Kong on Nov. 8. The platform, the weight of which days. During the War the tonnage from Leith, Middlesbro', Antwerp, The M.V. "Delhi". (Swedish East. is about one ton, is stopped on the using the Port, otherwise than on London and Straits is due to arrive Asiatic Co., Ltd.), left Antwerp on Oct. 7, and is due here on or about

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A formal remand of one week was granted by Mr. W. Schofield, at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, on the application of the police, in the case in which two boatmen are charged with the theft of a ship's compass from the sis. "Kalgan," (a Butterfield and Swire vessel) while she was lying at her berth in the harbour some few months ago.

Det. Sub-Inspector Dorling, who is in charge of the case, informed His Worship that inquiries made by the police had led to fresh develop-

CANAL TRAFFIC

THE GRAND UNION COMPANY

A DEVELOPMENT

The beginning of a movement to revive and increase the use of canal as effective means of transport was indicated at the general meeting of the Regent's Canal and Dock Co., when an announcement was made that on January 1 next the Grand Union Canal Co. will come. into existence with a capital of £3,500, 000, and 240 miles of waterways connecting London and Birmingham, with arms to serve important towns. The new company is a fusion of the Grand Junction, Regent's, and Warwick and Birmingham Canals.

This amalgamation may be regarded as the first-fruits of recommendations made by a Royal Commission which inquired into the canals and inland navigations of the United Kingdom some 20 years ago, states the "Daily Telegraph." It is a modest beginning, and the results will be watched with interest in view of the fact that the Commission set out a number of reasons standing in the way of any attempt being made to improve canal transport by private enterprise, and suggested Government assistance and the formation of a Waterway Board.

In England and Wales there are 1,927 miles of canals and the Commission's plans involved th development of four main routes, all radiating from Birmingham and the Midland industrial districts to the Thames, the Severn, the Mersey, and the Humber. That to the Thames is the one now being taken

in hand. If canals are to be made more serviceable, larger barges and speedier methods of passing through locks are essential. Boats on all English canals can pass one another general cargo for Hong Kong, 1,289 in the open, but not in the locks, and tons through. to this cause, as well as to the much delay is attributable, especial- kenzie:-79 passengers, 2,158, tons traffic is heavy. There are two classes of canal craft mainly in use. barges measuring from 60ft. to 70ft. and 14ft. wide, and narrow boats, or, as they are colloquially known. "monkey boats," about 70ft. long. but only 7ft. wide, chiefly used in the Midland and Southern canals. The barge will carry about 60 tons, and the "monkey boat" about 30 tons, with the same draft of a little over 3ft.

TESTING TANK

PLANS FOR ITS CONSTRUC-TION IN HOLLAND.

SHIPOWNERS' SUPPORT

A committee appointed by the engineering and shipbuilding section of the Royal Netherlands Institution desirability and financial possibility sengers. of a ship model testing tank in the Netherlands, has issued its final report. The members of this committee were Mesars. M. C. Koning. director of the Nederland Steamship Co., chairman; L. Troost, Netherlands Navy, secretary; A. van Driel, engineer and naval architect; G. Hooft, principal engineer of the Fijenoord Shipbuilding and Engineering Co.; R. van Leeuwenburg, principal surveyor to Lloyd's Regis- Halvard: ter, Rotterdam; E. Vossnack, Delft University; and E. B. Wolff, director of the Government Bureau

for Aeronautical Research, Bussum. The first meeting of the committee was held early this year, when financial and technical subcommittees were formed. In accordance with instructions issued the committee has based its considerations on the report of the

Royal Commission of 1918. The committee have since found that shipbuilding firms and others are spending about 20,000 gls. per annum on model experiments, which Norwegian have to be carried out in other coun- Chinese: tries, through lack of appliances in Dutch Holland. An experimental tank of American 525ft. free length, 80ft. width and Danish 16ft. Sin. depth, with a car speed of French 30 to 33ct. per second, is considered Portugueso

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The total first cost, including building and plant is estimated at 625,000 gls., and three large shipowning companies in the Netherlands, viz :- Nederland! Steamship Company, Rotterdam Lloyd and Koninklijke Paketvaart Maatschappij, have agreed to bear a share of 100,000 gls. each; the financial position of other shipowning and of the shipbuilding companies in the Netherlands, unfortunately, does not enable them to contribute materially to the capital cost of the undertaking, and approximately one half of the capital required will have to be

furnished by the Government. to amount to 65,000 gls. per annum, while the income from experiments is put at 25,000 gls., leaving a deficit of 40,000 gls. per annum, one half of which the committee hope to wipe out by private subscriptions, leaving 20,000 gls. per year to be paid by the State and/or other authorities.

LOCAL SHIPPING

TO-DAY'S ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

City of Khios (3,551) British, from Yokohama, Keelung-Bank Line:-672 tons tea (through). Chenan (1,354) British, from Shanghai, Amoy-B. & S.:-850

tons general cargo for Hong Kong. 380 tons (through). Antung (2,107) British, from Singapore, Amoy-B. & S.:-1 passenger, 500 tons firewood for Hong Kong, 20 tons general cargo

(through) Sunning (1,570) -British, from Canton-B. & S :- 66 passengers, 1.000 tons general cargo (through). Talma (6,154) British, from Kobo -Mackinnon, Mackenzie: -478 tons

Khyber (5,674) British, from Lonnumerous bridges of small span, don, Singapore-Mackingon, Mac-

Khiva (5,590) British, from Yokoharma, Slianghai-Mac. Mackenzie: -59 passengers, 108 tons general enrgo for Hong Kong, 1,795 tons

Glenbeg. (5,845) British, from Middleshro, Singapore-J. M.:passengers, 1,047 tons general cargo for Hong Kong, 4,500 tons through. Tijsondari (5,019) Dutch, from Sourabaya, Muntok-"J.C.J.L.:-742

passengers, 2,885 tons general cargo for Hong Kong, 6,426 tons through. Vulennus (707) Dutch, from Canton-A.P.C. Times Maru (1,804) Japanese,

from Keelung-M.B.K.:-1,280 tons coal for Hong Kong, 1,800 tons (through).

Shini Maru (2,814) Japanese, from Fremantle-Y.K.K.:-1 passenger, 648 tons sandal wood for Hong Kong, 2,015 tons through.

Tak Hing (105) Chinese, from Autau-Fook Hoi Co.:-1 ton of Engineers, to inquire into the general cargo for Hong Kong, 40 pas-Tak Hing (101) Chinese, from

Macao-Hoo Hing Co. :-- 90 tons general cargo for Hong Kong. Tai Leo (1,044) Chinese, from Chefoo-Yee Tai Co!: -725 tons general cargo for Hong Kong, 1,150 tons beans through.

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Clearance

FEAR OF USURERS

That a Sikh moneylender, Karnail Singh of the Palace Hotel, had offered him \$50 not to give evidence was he allegation made by Kartar Singh, motor-ear dealer and driver, in the Summary Court yesterday.

The former sued a Chinese for \$540 and the latter gave evidence under subpoens. One of the witness' statements was the "if he told truth all 'the moneylenders would be against him." He admitted in cross-examination that he is heavily indebted.

The defence is that the promissory note was not signed at the Palace | Pres. Adams .. Nov. 4th 8 a.m. Working expenses are estimated | Hotel, plaintiff's registered address. Judgment was reserved.

> Mr. Sadao Saburi, the Japanese chargé d'Affaires, gave a dinner on September 18 at the Japanese Embassy in honour of Count Uchida. Among the guests were:— Lord Hailsham, Sir Ronald Lindsay. Sir Maurice Hankey, Sir Arthur Willert, Sir Edward Crowe, Sir Horace Hamilton, Sir William Berry, Mr. Douglas Hacking, M.P., Mr. W. F. Mitchell, M.P., Mr. G. A. Mounsey, Mr. J. T. Pratt. Mr. W. Strang, Mr. G. N. M. Bland, Dr. Harold Williams, Dr. Douglas' Crawford, Colonel E. F. Lawson, Mr. H. E. Sly, Mr. J. L. Garvin, Mr. H. A. Gwynne, Mr. R. D. Blumenfeld, Mr. J. S. Hodgson, Mr. W. Harrison, Mr. J. O. P. Bland, and several members of tee staff of the Japanese Embassy.

Mr. J. E. Smith, of Loughboroughroad, Brixton, S.W., entered train on a recent Saturday at Paddington to see his wife off to Cornwall, when the train started and he was carried to Newton Abbot, Devonshire.

At the funeral at Belmont Abbey, near Hereford, of Dr. F. E. Gladstone, formerly organist at Llandaff, Chichester, and Norwich Cathedrals, ly on the Birmingham Canal, where general cargo for Hong Kong, 4,728 four monks sang "In Paradisum," which Dr. Gladstone had written for the occasion.

> ' Mrs. Jane McBride Struthers. of Megan-street, Glasgow, became if and died while on her way to a wedding on a recent Saturday.

> > COUNT THE "MAILS."

> > > See Page 3.

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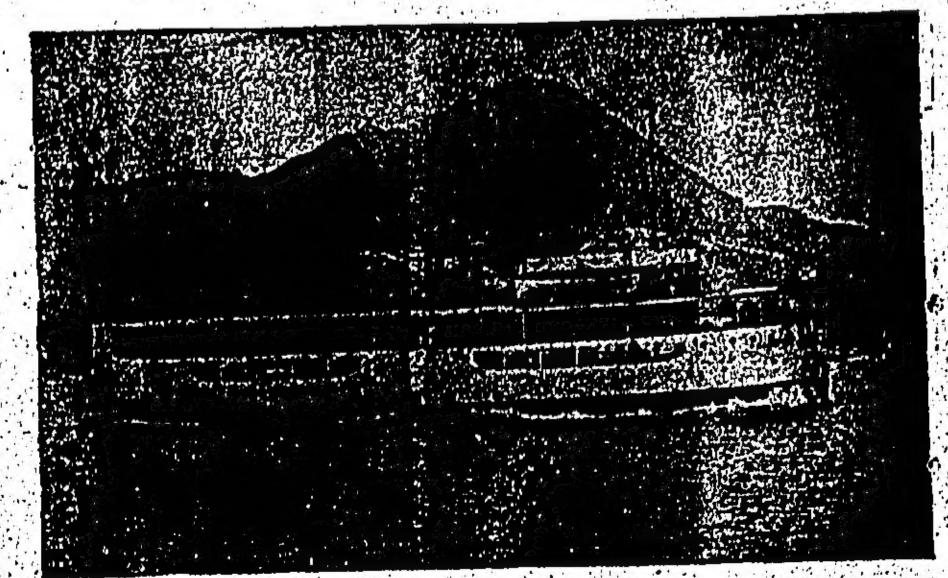
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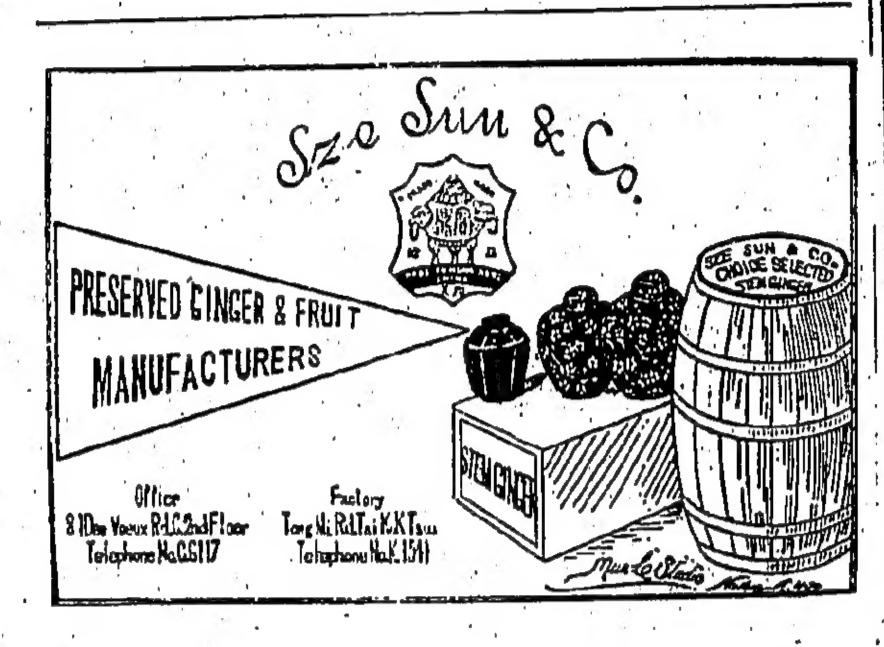
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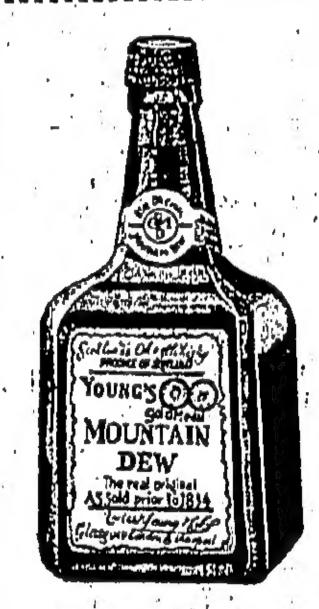
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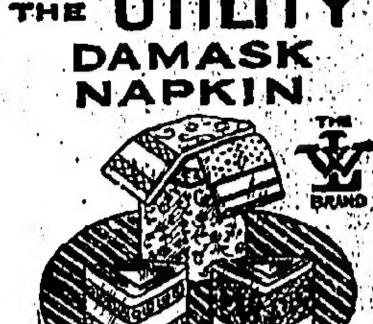
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THE INVESTITURE

Even what one might venture to term the ordinary kind of investiture—that in which one or two persons are chiefly concerned -is of so rare an occurrence at | torney-General (acting in this Government House that the public distinguished post during the abingly interested in the occasion; Mrs. E. D. C. Wolfe, the wife of but when one occurs, as is the our genial Captain Superintendent case to-night, in which no fewer of the Police. The distinction than eight well-known citizens now about to be formally con- Hur," and beautiful Norma Shear- tic of Moiseiwitch. are especially distinguished as ferred upon them is, we believe, or play the leading parts in this There is, I think, a somewhat worthy recipients of honours in recognition, especially, of the direct from His Majesty the King, then the occasion is indeed one being almost unique even in the troops who arrived in Hong Kong brilliant annals of Government early last year and who were with The Student Prince in Old and House. To-night's investiture us for many months during a time Heidelberg, showing at the ers, he has an inner eye all the concerns a matter which is, and of political stress. The name also, queen's the Saturday, is a good time on the gallery. If Moisei- age of the White Star liner Southorn, C.M.G., the Officer Adial Service Order (I.S.O.) which, adds many of the pathetic proaches the piano with short, is Service Order (I.S.O.) which, adds many of the pathetic diffident, and yet incisive steps. Jumped in to rescue Macarthur. Excellency, the Hon. Mr. W. T. meritorious, is that of the Imper-very realistic old man is Dr. again mentioned they must be, for formally bestowed upon Mr. A. F. natured old tutor who thinks of His every movement is neat and As a result the 400 passengers. whom the King delights to honour Reed, of the Colony's Senior pupil, he easily wins the heart perimental physicist, accustom, at midnight and the roll was callis very much a matter of public Clerical and Accounting Service, or the audience. It is a picture interest.

tion the honoured ones in the or- Government. may have been observed, is not Colony

like Mr. Holmes, a member of the Bar, and has likewise a remarkably good record as a useful menber of the Sanitary Board and Japanese woman, was yesterday who is, too, an Honorary Commis- morning taken to the Governsioner of the Police (Reserve). Then we have the name of Mr. Sutherland, one of Hong 11.45 a.m., wandering in Kong's most active and most Supreme Court building and, citizens, public-spirited "takes a step up" in this honourable Order, as he was formerly a "Member." · A lady's name has next to be mentioned, that of Miss L. E. Mackay, R.R.C. (memimperial Military Nursing Service before Major C. Willson, D.S.O., is performing. Any kind of this, but it would surely be kinder local Military Hospital. New trance to the house by pretend- the planist is a little more mys-British Empire are Mrs. C. G. Alabaster, the wife of the Atgenerally never fail to be exceed- sence of Sir. Joseph Kemp) and that might well be described as comfort of the large body of has been for months, so well- has to be mentioned in this cate- It is a sad tale, relieved by clever known to the public that it seems gory of Miss H. R. Remington, couches of humour, and the superfluous to mention the names who has done so much excellent of those about to receive their work for our local Girl. Guides. new honours at the hands of His A distinction , somewhat less Majesty's representative - His known, but in no respect less and Norna Shearer is Kathie. A who has been for over forty years which all who love the operetta Therefore, we shall men in the service of the Hong Kong should see.

der in which their names appeared . These are the recipients and in the King's Birthday List last these the honours which to-night, June. As a Commander of the in Government House, in the pre-Order of the British Empire sence of a distinguished gather-(C.B.E.) we have the well-known ing of well-known residents, are name of our worthy Crown Soli- to be formally invested upon those citor, Mr. H. K. Holmes, a gentle- In our midst especially honoured in Sir. I read Mr. Adler's letter with his cue for just that perman who has been long in the by His Majesty, through his re- Mail" of Wednesday with great ever his vocation demands from service of the Colony and is well- presentative in Hong Kong, act sorrow. I regret that any action himself. And then they came, worthy of the distinction, con-ing on behalf of the King. The of mine should have brought those perfect, liquid notes, each ferred upon him. Then we have ceremony gives promise of being forth such a tone which of with its individual emphasis, har-Officers of the British Empire one of the most interesting ever me (O.B.E.)—a distinction which, it known in the history, of the Yours., etc.,

Arriving this morning from |Sourabaya and Muntok, with 788 passengers, the s.s. "Tiisondari"

Arriving from Singapore and Amoy this morning, the as "Antung" reports the death of a deck passenger on board en route from consumption.

Messrs. A. H. Compton, H. G. will kindly grant me space to Vallington and S. S. Graves, were correct one of the passages which

yesterday, reported that a Mr. pain, "may cause misunderstand-James, who was on board, was ing. That Mrs. Eddy used drugs suffering from suspected enteric is not a fact, but fiction. After Waldstein. Sonata.

response to a call from Repulse Bay at about 1 p.m. yesterday. The blaze, which originated at a small patch of scrub on northern end of the beach, soon extinguished.

No. 96. Nathan Road, Kowloon, the statement that she occasiosreported to the police that some ally used drugs to alleviate pain. time between 1 and 6 a.m., yesterday, his shop window kas broken by a thief who fielped himralf to cakes and biscuits worth

Chan Cheuk (21) a painter who accidentally fell on to the street yesterday afternoon whilst at work on scaffolding outside No. 29, Chinese Street, fractured his spine. The unfortunate man was removed to the Government Tivil Hospital and died at 9.80 infrequently referred to in some p.m.

what unflattering terms by those who do not possess it and who, we venture to state, would readily mand, reports to the police that this great little man played me—that he came down deliberit offered that a Vickers gun and a with his foot. I noticed it first ately on a minor chord. His im-Down first in loose steel carton were stolen during the slow movement of the mobile face always contains the this section is the name of a well- from the a.s. "Taming," which Waldstein Sonata, that curious, suspicion of a twinkle and we known local Chinese gentleman, with stores and troops for Shang- be just a hunting round for the he was watching us. Moreover Dr. S. W. Tso, LL.D., who is also, hai via Wei-hai-wei. The loss right chord to come back on the last chord of all was obscured ship's arrival at her destination.

Ikio Broomfield, a half-cast ment Civil Hospital for observation. The woman, who is apparently insane, was found at when questioned, was unable to give a satisfactory account of herself.

woman at the Central Magistracy monium . . .

to-day and to-morrow. Ramon effect, feeling it This at- tion that is ours. Novarro, the leading hero of "Ben- titude is particularly characterisexcellent work they performed in Ernst Lubitsch. Massive settings And yet it is spontaneous. With assisting in ministering to the and faithful reproductions of old a theatrical sportsman like Patch-German castles are features of mann one

> scenery is good. The old village inn in Heidelberg is like an old painting. Ramon Novarro takes the role of Prince Karl Heinrich

"CHRISTIAN SCIENCE"

[To the Editor of the "China Mail."]

WIDE GULF"

[To the Editor of the "China Mail."] in your columns last night.

Christian Science organisation as founded by Mrs. Eddy and the Parent Church. However, I shall be glad if you

The British s.s. "Talma," which to the fact that Mrs. Eddy occa-arrived in the Harbour from Kobe sionally used drugs to alleviate

W. H. ADLER.

Christian Science Committee on Publication.

MOISEIWITSCH

WHAT DOES HE THINK OF US?

THE ABBE LISZT

with armed robbery. The rob- artist would, of course, be intent to the performer to put him in and is at present matron of the bers, it was alleged, gained en- esting to dissect, but somehow more congenial surroundings. "Members" of the Order of the ing to deliver a letter to one of terious. The man with a violin But for myself, and I know fore inmates. A watch and a neck- is so close to his instrument, he the very select and enthusiastic : ace were stolen. The case was is almost one with it. His emo- audience, there is nothing but adjourned until Wednesday next. tions as he plays are almost too thanks to be given for two hours

hand

urected by the eminent director features under his massive brow. the conviction that as he while playing urging encouraging a feeling that he gets almost as New Zealand: much : entertainment : out of his audience as we do out of him.

He enters the stage quietly, al- rescued. low bow to the audience, and he missing and everybody went back poises, his, ironic form delicately to bed. on the stool, lightly touches the The "Corinthic" brought 200 schrew-knobs at his sides—then members of the crews of the Ausfor a moment rests his hands on tralian Commonwealth former his knees, waiting, thinking how liners "Jervis Bay," "Esperance shall I begin? His hands are Bay," and "Largs Bay." The poised above the keys for quite men were reshipped here into a a little while, making silent movements, as a clerk, proud of No trouble occurred during the

pen, or a billiard player feels cident: which appeared in the "China fect touch that an artist; what-

> He began with Scarlatti's Sonata FARPLAY II. in A Major, I think as much for

his own benefit as for ours. In this piece, the planist can adopt: an even more detached attitude: than usual. He can sit back and Sir,—Kindly permit me to refeel his way, sensing the atmosfer to an article which appeared phere in which he plays, while he calls his audience to him with This article clearly showed the those charmingly balanced, oldwide gulf that exists between the fashioned phrases, the wonder lying not so much, in an elaborate harmoric development as in the beautiful way the time runs of its own beside murmuring chords, to questions and answers coming first from this hand, then from among the local residents who appeared in the above mentioned that, but all with that perfect arrived from Home by the P. and article. The statement that, clarity as only a detached master O. s.s. "Khyber" this morning. "The Parent Church," in justify- such as we heard on Wednesday ing its new attitude, also points night can give us in all its sim-

launched her discovery of Christian people, I know, he took liberties Science, which may be described with the first movement,—the Two fire engines turned out in as the divine principle which un- first subject being too fast, and derlay the works of Christ Jesus, the second having too much em-Mrs. Eddy relied solely on phasis in the melody and not spiritual means or the power of enough on the wonderful har-God, and had no occasion to re-sort to drugs. A study of Mrs. it. But to me who know not this Eddy's works including the au- work too well, it was a perfect: thentic autobiography of her life joy, and the harmonics came all by Sybil Wilbur, will enable all the more gratefully in the de-Mr. J. Videro, confectioner of to see that there is no truth in Velopment for not having emhasised in the exposition. I. think everybody wore an unconscious smile of real pleasure during; the Rondo.

.The remainder of the pro-

gramme was "popular;" but we-

enjoyed it none the less for that ..

Of Chopin's Etude in E Major, with its heavenly little tune, one always wonders at the beginning. why one never plays that oneself, . it seems so simple. And then half way through one realiseswhy. 'In the "Raindrop" prelude we caught one glimpse of the what I feel sure must have been the-The Abbe Liszt played with mischievous side of our artist. Captain N. A. Thorp, Staff his fist. Not so Benno Moisei- Right at the end, I could have left Hong Kong on October 21 pensive introduzione that seems to could not tell at the distance if was 'not discovered until the Moiseiwitch's hands do not cling by a passing tram. Still there it to the key board. Most of the is. I suppose it is too much to time they are fluttering about as expect him to tell us how de-it were, seeking the succulent liberate was his lapse from resphrase. For a moment they pect for his favourite composer. alight, like a butterfly on a flow- Perhaps he was annoyed by the er and away again, skimming over trams, which had, of course, madethe garden of notes while the their presence felt before that .. throbbing string is allowed to What disabilities a musician has sing-for just so long as his foot to face! Even in London, he candecrees. He is in fact a piano- not play at the Queen's Hall unforte artist to his toe-tips. He is less he submits to a Chappel concerned entirely with the way piano. Here he is hardly given the note is struck; and he leaves a piano at all. Have we not got it to the mechanism at his dis- a full-sized piano in the Colony posal as to, how it is held. No that is worth playing on? Also, The story of how four armed other pianist uses the pedals is the management of the Thearobbers entered a house at No. 3 quite as he does. He would, I tre Royal so short of funds that Kwong On Terrace was told by a fancy, be no good at the har- it cannot afford a decent backcloth to its stage? Not that ber of the Royal Red Cross) who yesterday. In connection with I often wish we could see inside scenery actually impairs one's enis a matron in Queen Alexandra's the case, four men were charged, the brain of a pianist while he joyment of such an evening as

> blatantly expressed. A pianist on of the most complete enjoyment. adopts I only hope that M. Moiseiwitch Continuing to draw excellent a more detached attitude; enjoyed himself as well and that houses at the Queen's Theatre, he appears to be watch- he will be able to look forward to "I'me Student Prince in Old ing the behaviour of the machine Saturday evening with something Heidelberg" will be shown again in front of him, listening for its approaching the joyous anticipa-

'MAN OVERBOARD"

LINER'S MIDNIGHT. ROLL-CALL

A FALSE ALARM

Wellington.—During the voywitch, is aware of the gallery at "Corinthic" from Liverpool to all it is with rather the same de- Wellington an Australian seaman; tached amusement that he named Macarthur jumped overwatches his instrument. I have board while the ship was nearing

He was, however, saved very promptly, only twenty-five minutes elapsing before he was

vessel for Sydney

his calligraphy will flourish his voyage except the Macarthur in-

COUNT THE See Page 3.

HOME FROM HOME

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fort so desired. As we have had many articles from the one side, these few lines from the other side—the Service man's,-may be helpful to these who most desire to see the New Home a real success, though - all will admit no stone has been left unturned.

quite found that seclusion and com-

No doubt it has been asked "What does a Service Man consider the attributes of a Service men's Club?" shall we call it.

swer "That it should be as nearly which will lead to bigger things, zone by Japanese forces, Treaty like home as possible," and there is The social atmosphere pervading revision, Tariff revision, the more in this than people are led to will count much towards the future status of Manchuria, and the believe.

The Inner Man.

It is well known that "Jack" has to put up with many discomforts Speaking of the social atmosphere | The Chinese maintain that the in his everyday life, discomforts Service Men are inclined to think proceeds of some of these loans that never come the way of people in other stations of life, and it is for this very reason" that he is ! rather a particular sort of individual when ashore. He craves that change from everyday routine by seeking everything of the best, just as many who have every comfort will seek a change by climbing a rough mountain or in other arduous adventures, and the cost he does not study so much. A few days of real home comforts, he considers, are worth remaining aboard

for an extra time. The inner man probably comes first. A nicely cooked meal with a change in the menu from that aboard, if possible, will surely mean a second visit. Purchasing food by tickets does not appeal to him: it is unlike home. Of course, everything must be clean, for a desire for cleanliness, like that for recreation, is acquired from Naval routine.

Again, necessarily having much had the worst possible name red tape aboard "Jack" likes things was a last resort for beds, etc. to be had with the least amount of After the installation of modern example rather than apply at the garage and loud speakers in counter or elsewhere for a towel, restaurant, billiard rooms, etc. boot brushes, etc. as a particular success now knows no bounds, so notice might state, he would prefer | well is it patronized. to pay 20 cents for a "wash and brush up" or go to a bootblack for has no Sports club and this, the cleaning of his footwear.

charge. Such an arrangement ing of a "home." would do away with the necessity know, but these can be drawn up charges. with discretion.

A Sports Club. excellent proposal. Recreation is Home, and when it is opened re- gates found their labours very very much encouraged in the Ser- spect all sits privileges in treating heavy and probably the conference vices and few are the men who are everything as if it were our per- will adjourn soon, permitting Mr. not keen on some form of sport, sonal property in our own home. This will be a fine attraction toge- .- C. L. F. in the Wanchai Wesleyan ing Dr. Wang free to take up ther with the social club tending Methodist Church quarterly.

"SENORITA"

BEBE DANIELS' LATEST PICTURE

COMING TO THE QUEEN'S

Delightful Bebe Daniels arrives the opening of the New Sailors' at the Queen's Theatre on Sunday and Soldiers' Home, about which and Monday in her latest producthere is no doubt regarding its tion "Senorita," according to a Wang and Mr. Yada, an agreement premier position as a Service men's special advertisement in this issue. was reached on treaty revision, and home: this is assured by the en- The story of "Senorita" is a rollick- the Tsinan, Nanking and Hankow thusiasm of those at the head and ing romantic comedy of love and affairs. the assistance of many willing adventure in South America. Bebe, The terms of the settlement thelpers who have the welfare of herself, is seen in the role of a the Tsinan affair are reported to The North American girl of Spanish be that Japan agrees to withdraw manager and his wife have already descent who visits her aged grand- her troops from Shantung, but defather at the ancestral home in mands guarantees for the future men, who cannot fail to be at home South America. Upon her arrival safety of her nationals. Both sides she learns that her grandfather has agree to compensate the other's naguise would break his heart. With mittee will be appointed to find out masquerades as a boy and appears the trouble. make good as the youthful head of full equality. effort to date.

HONOUR FOR CHINA

Shanghai, Yesterday. the Assistant Secretary General to spective Governments for approval. the League of Nations, M. Avenol, has been instructed to proceed to general and direct contact with the Chinese Government.—Reuter.

tempts at persuasion are made. Peking Government. men and civilians.

Sale," etc. could be displayed. | cotton goods.

Billiard tables are always an attraction, as is a reading room with small writing tables where one may write at case without that feeling of being overlooked.

Such a Home could not be bettered and I have in mind one in a naval port in England which was

reconditioned. Towards Unison

Previous to reconditioning As an improvements, even to including a

Even so the Home in reference think, together with other original very heavy, also the continued re- abrogation of the Commercial Thus in an ideal "Home" one proposals to be carried into effect tention of a Japanese garrison in Treaty, it is generally believed that might expect to find an attendant in Our New Home will be greatly Shantung, as well as the fact that its insistence is used for bargainwhose duty it was to see to these | welcomed and will count as much | public opinion in China and Japan | ing and the Government will not and other requirements for a small towards unison, which is the mak- is diametrically opposed on the press formal withdrawal provided

Then we have an untiring and in Tsinan. for chaining down the hair brushes, very capable manager with friends The subject of Manchuria and not be put into practice.—Reuter. combs, etc. which otherwise would behind him who are full of zeal for the unsecured loans have not yet admittedly be essential. Certain making the New Home a real been touched and it appears unorders, more particularly regarding "home from home," and nothing likely that they will be discussed behaviour have to be made, we short of an hotel at the lowest of in the conference until an agree-May all of us Service Men ap- issues.

preciate the energy and good work The idea of a Sports Club is an that is being put into the New

the Portuguese Consul-General in Shanghai. (Sanzetti and Ah Fong).

CHINA & JAPAN

NANKING CONFERENCE; END OF SEVENTH DAY

PART AGREEMENT REACHED

Nanking, Yesterday.

At the conference this afternoon -the seventh day-between Dr.

always understood her to be a boy tionals for losses in lives and proand that for her to appear in other perty, and an international comcharacteristic . impulsiveness, she who was responsible for starting

to her grandparent in that guise. It is expected that both China Situation follows situation in be- and Japan will side-step the queswildering sequence. Not only is tion of the validity of the old Sinoshe accepted as a boy but finds her- Japanese Treaties and proceed to self in a position where she must negotiate new treaties on the basis

of the family. She does, to the The settlement of the Nanking satisfaction of everybody concerned. | incident is similar to the settle-"Senorita" is spoken of as being ments with the other Powers, the the popular comedienne's finest National Government expressing regret and agreeing to compensate

Japanesa subjects for their losses. The Hankow incident was settled without difficulty.

Dr. Wang and Mr. Yada will A "Kuo Min" message says that now submit the terms to their re-Eight Main Points

The eight main points in the China in December to establish issue between China and Japan are the Nanking and Hankow incidents of March and April of last year, the Tsinan incident of last May, the continued occupation of There is really only the one and to produce that family atmosphere Tsinan and the Shantung Railway Spiritual Purposes, for men may be question of the National Governdrawn by their own feelings, but ment recognising the unsecured resent, and will stay away, if at- loans, made by Japanese to the

> their civilian friends dislike their were used to finance campaigns company and it would be a happy against the Nationalists. Japan combination if the social side of the is pressing that these loans, aggre-Home could include both service gating £80,000,000, should be a the Italian Minister and the Belcharge against the Chinese Customs I gian Charge d'Affaires who are now Men who are keen on outdoor as quid pro quo of Japan's accept- in Nanking. sport often prefer to keep their ance of the institution of a gradu- While Chinese officials are satisoutfits ashore and for this reason ated increase in the Chinese Tariff, fied with the progress of the negolockers are ever a great boon. subject to a conventional tariff with tintions with Mr. Yada, a feeling Another item to include might Japan involving reciprocal duties on of uneasiness pervades Nanking be an advertisement board where certain articles, with the object of that the conference is a mere for a small sum adverts, of all preventing China from shutting out gesture on the part of Baron descriptions "Wanted to buy" "For the huge trade in cheap Japanese Tanaka, partly to meet the demands

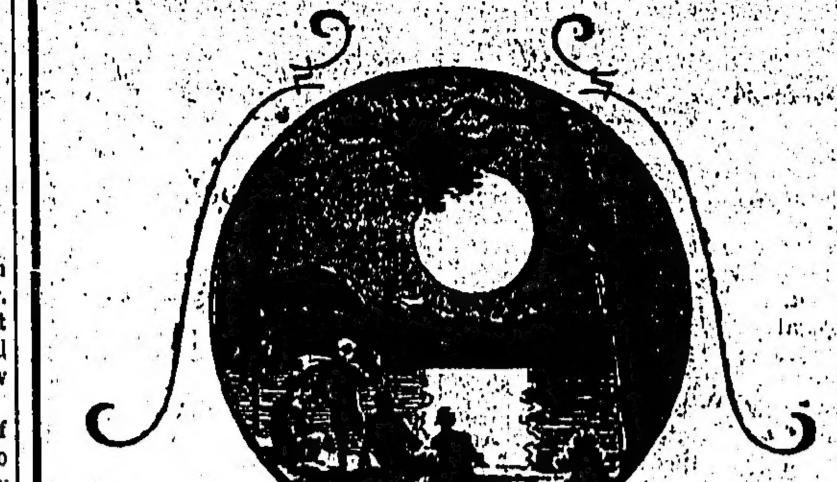
> > No Serious Difficulty. any serious difficulty.

Hankow incident are comparatively crisis shall mar the peaceful atmosnection with Treaty revision is forthcoming enthronement. Reuter. described as favourable. Yada's attitude on that point coincides with Baron Tanaka's 'state-

ment of the Tsinan incident, how- ese negotiations, while Government ever, bristles with difficulties, espe- circles intimate that they, are not icially in view of the fact of the as satisfactory as at first hope Chinese losses of life and property though they see no cause for as a result of the Japanese bom- pessimism. Though still declaring bardment of Tsinan, which was that Nanking must withdraw the

ment has been reached on the other

Nanking Uneasy. The Chinese and Japanese dele-Yada to peport fully to Tokyo leav-Treaty revision negotiations with



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of commercial opinion in Japan that his government, in order to The conference resulted in lengthy case the anti-Japanese boycott, and satisfactory discussions on the should negotiate a settlement of Nanking incident, concerning which outstanding issues with the Naan agreement is unlikely to present tional Government similarly to the other Powers, and partly to ensure The differences regarding the that no fresh Chinese-Japanese minor, while the atmosphere in con- phere surrounding the Emperor's

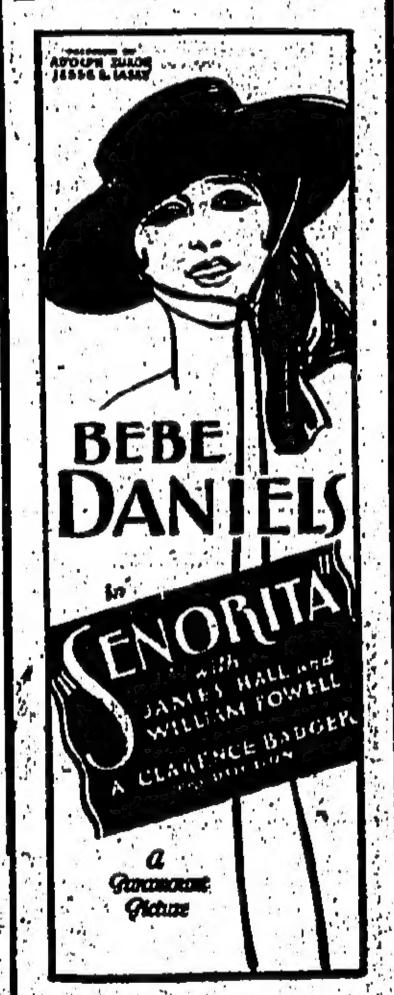
Japanese View

Tokyo. Yesterday. The Japanese papers are taking a rather less optimistic view of the The negotiation for the settle- outcome of the Chinese and Japanquestion of who started the trouble some sort of assurance is received that the provisional regulations will

> MINISTRY OF WAR Nanking, Yesterday

The Military Council will be abolished at the end of this month and a Ministry of War will be inaugurated on Nov. 1.-Reuter.

> COUNT THE-"MAILS." See Page 3.



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PROTECTION AND STATE

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AN ENGLISH COURT ORDER AGAINST LOCAL MAN

A THREAT

That the newspapers "would sea Scamen's Institute, Hong Kong, in Kowloon Magistracy yesterday. summons against him to show Hall) defending. 1923, against him in respect of his murdered men. wife, Olive Dorothy Thatcher, by the Court of Summary Jurisdiction for the City and County of Bristol, on July 9, 1928, should not be confirmed.

The Magistrate explained to Thatcher that the order was to the effect that it had been proved that the defendant lived in Hong Kong and had wilfully neglected during the past six months to provide maintenance for his wife and child. The custody of the child, aged 5, nese infantry. With the twenty was, committed to Mrs. Thatcher until he attained sixteen years of a month ago, this makes about age. The order required the defendant to pay into the Court at by the National Government to act Bristol a weekly sum of £2 for the maintenance of Mrs. Thatcher and of 10 shillings for the maintenance of the child so long as the latter was under sixteen years of age. The defendant was also ordered to pay 8/6d. costs.

Thatcher asked if he could pay into that Court. He said that he refused absolutely to send any money · Home because he had sent so much previously and every time he had received a letter to say that his wife had not received any.

His Worship asked if Thatcher agreed that the order should be made, for approximately £10 per month, and the money be paid into the Court monthly by defendant.

Thatcher inquired where his wife was to collect the money and was told by the Magistrate that she would receive it from the Court at Bristol. It was explained that the money would be sent through the Crown Agents of the Colony and it has to be collected did not register it. from the Court at Bristol.

it into the Court, I don't mind. confirmed the order against Otherwise I won't pay.

Pay Into Court Mr. Lindsell then directed that a money order or a draft, the latday of each month, or within the include this costs. This would ants. first week, if his ship was out of start on the first week of Novemport, for £10 10s.

Thatcher said that he had only just got employment, temporarily, Then Thatcher made a request relieving a man. As long as he was in employment he would pay. As soon as his employment ceas-

COUNT THE "MAILS." See Page 3.

YAUMATI TRAGEDY

FURTHER EVIDENCE AT. KOWLOON YESTERDAY

AGAIN ADJOURNED

The case in which a Chinese was something" & the proceedings were | charged with murdering two Chin- | Peak-road was reported to the Police | published, was the threat made by ese outside No. 111, Woosung- yesterday afternoon by Chan Hung-Walter. Albert Thatcher, of the street on Sept. 18; was resumed at fat, driver of public motor car No.

Mr. R. E. Lindsell's Court at the Mr. H. Somerset Fitzroy appear-

After further evidence, the case was idjourned.

GERMANS IN NANKING

Shanghai, Yesterday. Colonel Max Bauer, an artillery expert and protegee of General Ludendorff, and five German assistants, are due this week-end to take up their duties in connection with the training of Chi-Germans : who arrived in Nanking thirty Germans who are engaged as military and police advisers, positions which British citizens are not permitted to accept.-Reuter.

SEX EQUALITY

Peking, Yesterday. Pointing out that the tional Government authorities, like the former regime, are still exercising unequal treatment to women in connection with the appointment, of Government officials, Women's Society has petitioned the Municipality for the removal of sex | Sen discrimination.-Reuter.

ed, the allotment must cease also. He had been unemployed for about a month now. Previously, he had been out in Singapore and had sent money to his wife in ordinary notes, and the trouble was that he

Remarking that that was a very Defendant: As long as I can pay unwise thing to do, his Worship of No. 5, Duddell-street.

Objects to Publicity

ings be kept out of the newspapers. Mr. Lindsell said that that was

a matter for the defendant and the Press which was entitled to any public matter that transpired in that Court.

was not news at all, and then pro- Mr. P. Sands, M.A., and Mr. T. J. ceeded to make the threat quoted Price, B.Sc., led the opposition.

COLLISION

ACCIDENT ON CASTLE PEAK-ROAD

EUROPEAN INJURED

A motor accident on the Castle

He stated that at about 2 p.m., Central-Magistracy yesterday, in ed for the Crown with Mr. Hin- whilst his car was near the bounthe course of the hearing of a shing Lo (instructed by Mr. J. M. dary of Chinwan and Shamshuipo, motor cycle No. 706, ridden by Mr. cause why a provisional order, made Mr. J. M. Remedios was present Keen of the P.W.D., suddenly appearunder the Maintenance Order Act, on behalf of the relatives of the ed round a bend at a speed which Chan estimated at 40 miles an hour. On seing the cycle, Chan immediately drew his car to the side of the road, but was not able to get out of the cycle's way in time.

A head-on collision occurred. The cycle rebounded and Mr. Keen was thrown heavily, receiving injuries to his legs and chest."

Soon afterwards motor car No. 134 appeared on the scene and removed Mr. Keen to hospital.

TINFOIL THEFT

THREE CHINESE SENT TO PRISON

The case of theft of 5861 lbs. of tinfoil, worth \$550 from the Hop Yik firm of Whitfield (reported yes-terday), resulted in Mr. R. E. Lindsell convicting the three mon charged with stealing the motal.

The first and third accused were sentenced to two months' hard labour each, whilst the second man, who was shown to be the leader in in the theft, received a sentence of

three months' hard labour. -. A remaind was made in the case of the alleged receiver of the tin, who was defended by Mr. Leo d'Almada,

Mr. Hin-shing Lo conducted the case for the prosecution.

RENT COLLECTORS LOSE

Judgment for the confectioner, in claim of \$148.70 for special damages and costs, was given by Mr. Justice Jacks in the Summary Court. vesterday, the defendants being (as reported) the Yee-Lee-Estate Agency and Chu Kam-cho, rent collectors,

His Lordship found that defend-Thatcher and directed that on the ants had failed to carry out their first week of each month he should undertaking to rent certain premises pay into that Court, by means of to plaintiff, who had made certain Thatcher should bring into Court a draft, the sum of £10.10s., and preparations to start a new business. with the first draft he would have Mr. D. L. Strellett was for plainter would be better, on the first to include the sum of 88s. 6d. to tiff and Mr. W. D. Owen for defend-

Y.M.C.A. DEBATE

The first of the senson's debates at to the Magistrate that the proceed- the European Y.M.C.A. in Kowloon was held last night when Mr. P. S.

Cassidy presided. The motion was "that life in Hong Kong le preferable to life in Eng-

It was defeated. Mr. W. E. Price and Mr. H. Thatcher remarked that the case Burson led in support of the motion. A number of others also sucke.

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Concise but none the less descriptive are the reports relating to the China and Japan "conversations" which, it is hoped, will pave the way towards removal of understanding between the two most important countries in the Orient.

Then there is a possibility of a new war in the Northalso fully dealt with, as is the topic of Sino-Foreign co-

In the Colony itself, judgments concerning the shipping and mercantile communities have been delivered, a multitude of sports engagements have been held, the Criminal Sessions have provided remarkable trials, and the season of "returning from Home leave" has set in.

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SOCCER

Wah Cup Opening

ROYAL NAVY v. THE ARMY.

Seven Junior League Matches For Decision

[By "Rover"]

There are no 1st Division League matches this week owing to the meeting of Army and Navy at the Club ground on Saturday in the first semi-final for the Lai Wah Cup.

The "Lai Wah" Cup was presented by the Lai Wah Co. in 1925 for competition on the knock out system between teams represent. ing the Royal Navy, the Army, Civilians and Chinese and the matches form an interesting guide to the selection of probable Interport Teams. Previous winners are:-

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| | 1928 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Civilians |

The teams were drawn by the Hong Kong Football Council at | To-morrow finishes the fixture their last meeting and although Navy would have preferred waiting a list when in the Second Division, little longer for their round, yet they have a very serviceable team Taikoo meet the Yacht Club and On in the field for Saturday and the chances are very even for a great Kowloon Bowling Green Club the fight and a close result.

The full official programme for to-morrow, with officials, is as interest so far as the Competition

Lai Wah Cup-Semi-Final:-

Army v. Navy, Club ground — kick-off 4 p.m. — referee, Mr. own green, Taikoo will finish up a On demand 77% Smith; linesmen, Messrs. Lawrence and Samy. Hong Kong League Division II-kick-off 3.00 p.m.:-

Small Units v. K.O.S.B., Sookumpoo-referee, B.Q.M.S. Hut-South China v. Queen's, Caroline Hill-referee, Mr. Lawrence.

Chinese Athletic v. South China B, Chinese ground, Valleyreferee, Ptc. Farnsworth. R.A.F. v. St. Joseph's, Recreio ground-referee, Mr. Stoakes.

Navy v. R.A., Navy ground, Happy Valley-referee, Mr. Ip Kau-ko. Kowloon v. University, Kowloon-referee, Lce. Corpl. Greave. Eastern v. Recreio, St. Joseph's, Happy Valley-referee, Sergt.

should be a most attractive one. special feature with the exception By the arrival of one or two of of South China A v. Queen's Regi-H.M. ships, Navy have been able ment at Caroline Hill, and R.A.F. to field a likely looking lot. v. St. Joseph's on the Recreio Evans ("Bruce"), Cope (Mag- ground, both these results being nolia"), Van Tromp and Firth very open. Among the others, ("Hermes") represented Navy Borderers should beat Small last year in Hong Kong. The Units, Chinese Athletic Reserves new men are also well spoken of should secure full points against and although the Army team | South China B, and Navy should | looks strong, I rather fancy Navy | beat R.A. Kowloon and Eastern | as the players have been getting should also be amongst the winin plenty of good work during the ners of the day. past week and have a knowledge of one another's ways also.

The teams are:-

Toms.

Army: — Fletcher (R₁A₁) (Queen's), Martin (K.O.S.B.); Byrne (Queen's) Sims (R.A.M.C.) captain, Skiggs (K.O.S.B.); Everest K.O.S.B.) Stock (K.O.S.B.), Leach (R.A.), Barclay (Queen's), Caldicott

(Queen's). Navy: - Ward ("Seamew") Cornwall ("Foxglove"), Moss ("Hermes"); Van Tromp ("Hermes"), Firth ("Hermes"), Evans ("Bruce"), Mann ("Cumberland"), Cobb ("Cumberland").

Navy are nippy forward, the right wing having played for Kent County, and Evans is a fine centre forward. The "Cumberland" left wing is fast and dan-

gerous. The Army look a very good side individually, although one misses McClinchey, Alexander Campbell, Hill, Richardson, and we can only assume that the Army selectors have been carefully watching current form. Queen's, owing to their very fine showing so far this year, demand the recognition they have received in the team selected, and the team has a very solid appearance all round.

The match will, be well worth watching and a little luck either Waddington, Eastman. way may be the deciding factor. Adverting to the Navy team, we shall in all probability before Christmas see McGregor, the seasons 1923/24/27/28; Tillet, Navy half ("Tamar"); Harris ("Tamar"), back in 1926, and Peacock, centre Sims ("Tamar"), Tong ("Magforward, Navy and Port division- | nolia"); King ("Cumberland"), al players—all these fine players Skull ("Tamar") Adams "Seabeing at present North with mew"), Sorbie the Fleet and expected shortly. Bowles ("Cumberland"). In addition, Pearks and Scantlebury, Devon County players, and old favourites last year in Hong Kong playing fields, will also strengthen the side at an early date.

The Junior or 2nd Division

The big match at the Valley matches but none possess any

meeting of the Hong Kong Foot- It might not suit the league; but I ball Council takes place and the recommend that the Spey Royal Emergency Committee specially dates should be fixed and they be appointed to deal with urgent Wednesdays at the beginning of matters have already an import- the season. The final could be ar ant account of work done to pre- | ranged for a holiday. The open sent to the Council.

have been experienced and dealt ed to synchronise with the Spey with summarily by the officials Royal round Chinese New Year controlling the games, and play- which is an ideal time for these ("Cumberland"), Cope ("Mag-viously given in these columns There are always occasions in that the use of hands, excepting the various clubs, such as there in the case of goalies, will not be was at Craigengower Sports when permitted in Association Football, the Shields could be presented to and striking or attempting to the winning teams in the league. strike during the course of any It must not be forgotten as I have 10.24 game is only asking for trouble, already said that in the case of 10.23 ,, S. J. H. Fox, R. P. and gives the referee no alterna- three of the most important clubs tive but immediate dismissal for the beginning of the Cricket Sea- 10.32 ,. B. J. Lacon, E. Kern. the player. An early warning is son means the closing of the Bowl- 10.36 ,. G. W. Sellars, G. not out of place. Fortunately no ing Greens. and there is no need for this offence which robs the player of his sport and spoils the game for the spectator. Saturday afternoons we want Soccer; the evenings at the City Hall are devoted to the other manly sport.

TEAMS FOR TO-MORROW

Kowloon II v. University

Kowloon: - Angus; Nicholls, Robson, Easterbrook, Blacklock, Hannan, Davis, Moss, Reserves, White, Seddon.

Navy II v. R.A. Navy II:-Price ("Tamar"); Johnson, ("Cumberland"), Mist ("Tamar"),

> COUNT THE "MAILS." See Page 3.

BOWLS

END OF THE SEASON GAMES

THE SPEY ROYAL

[By "Bias."]

Last Saturday, as expected, the Ba Club de Recreio "A" won their Cre match in no uncertain manner and gained promotion to the first divi-On Sunday in the Spey Royal Cup Civil Service defeated them on Craigengower ground and On will figure in the final probably Cre with Craigengower. This match and the Championship singles will provide a very interesting afternoon on the Kowloon Bowling On Green's rinks. As I said last week Cr my forecasts are Craigengower and

Club de Recreio "B". The only Or is concerned is that by winning as |On demand they are almost sure to do on their good second to the Recreio "A", 30 day's sight (private only 2 points behind. The Bowling Green at home ought to account | On demand 108% for the Recreio "B" without much

difficulty. This is the end of the Bowls Sovereigns Season and the one thing that buying rate) 9.55 stands out most prominently is the Silver (per oz.) 26% fact that the popularity of the Bar Silver in Hong game is on the increase. It is diffi- Kong 4% premcult to get a game on some of our Chinese Copper 'Cash nom. greens on Sunday afternoons. Chinese Copper Cents 6% prem Holidays and certain week days Rate of Native inand in some clubs the ladies have terest 7% p.s. been bitten by the Bowl's flea! Chinese Sub. Coin :.. 31% dis. The weather was not at all kind Hong Kong Suba Coin Par. and the energetic secretary of the local association had a trying time arranging postponed fixtures, especially with an odd number of

teams in each division. Next year I think it might be arranged to play matches at the beginning of the season on Wednesday afternoons. It is light up to well after 7 p.m. and a great many people have a half day. In any case there should be no diffi-On Tuesday next the monthly culty in starting play at 5.15 p.m. Championship went off very smoothly and if it were drawn. Already unfortunate incidents earlier the final could be arrang-

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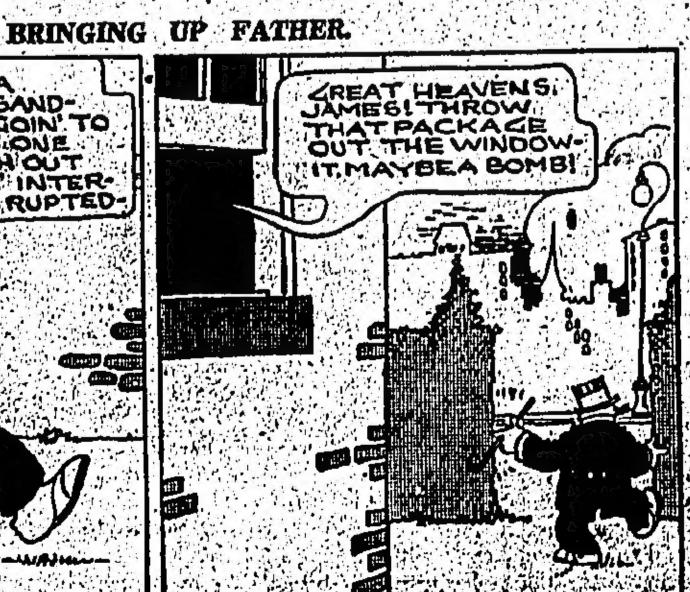
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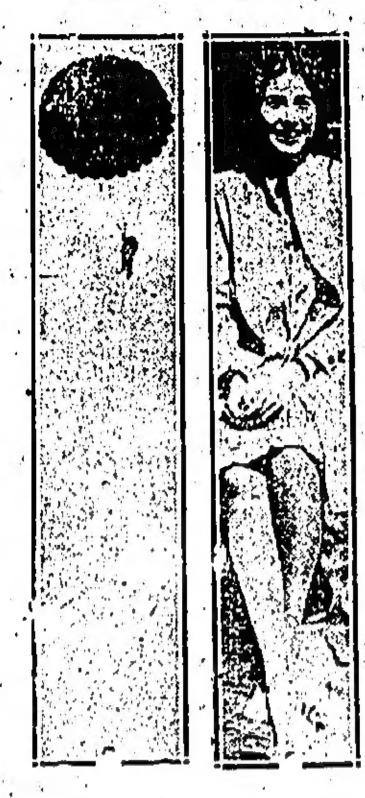
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To Brave the Antarctic.



A new and exclusive photo of Commander Richard E. Byrd, who heads two-year scientific expedition into the Antarctic regions. He is shown in the fur clothing which he will wear almost continuously for two years.

Fair Jumper.



Miss Nancy Glave, a society debutante and member of New York's Junior League, who offered to make a parachute leap on every day of the Long Island pageant at Mineola, L. I. Photo at left illustrates perilous nature of the feat the pretty Nancy wished to perform in the interest of the "400" fair.

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Raiding the offices of Service Transportation Co., 180th-street and Webster-avenue, New York city, four gunmen escaped with G\$18,000. Gunfire spattered this window, beside which is Miss Mildred Mueller, an employee, among those told to "put 'em up."

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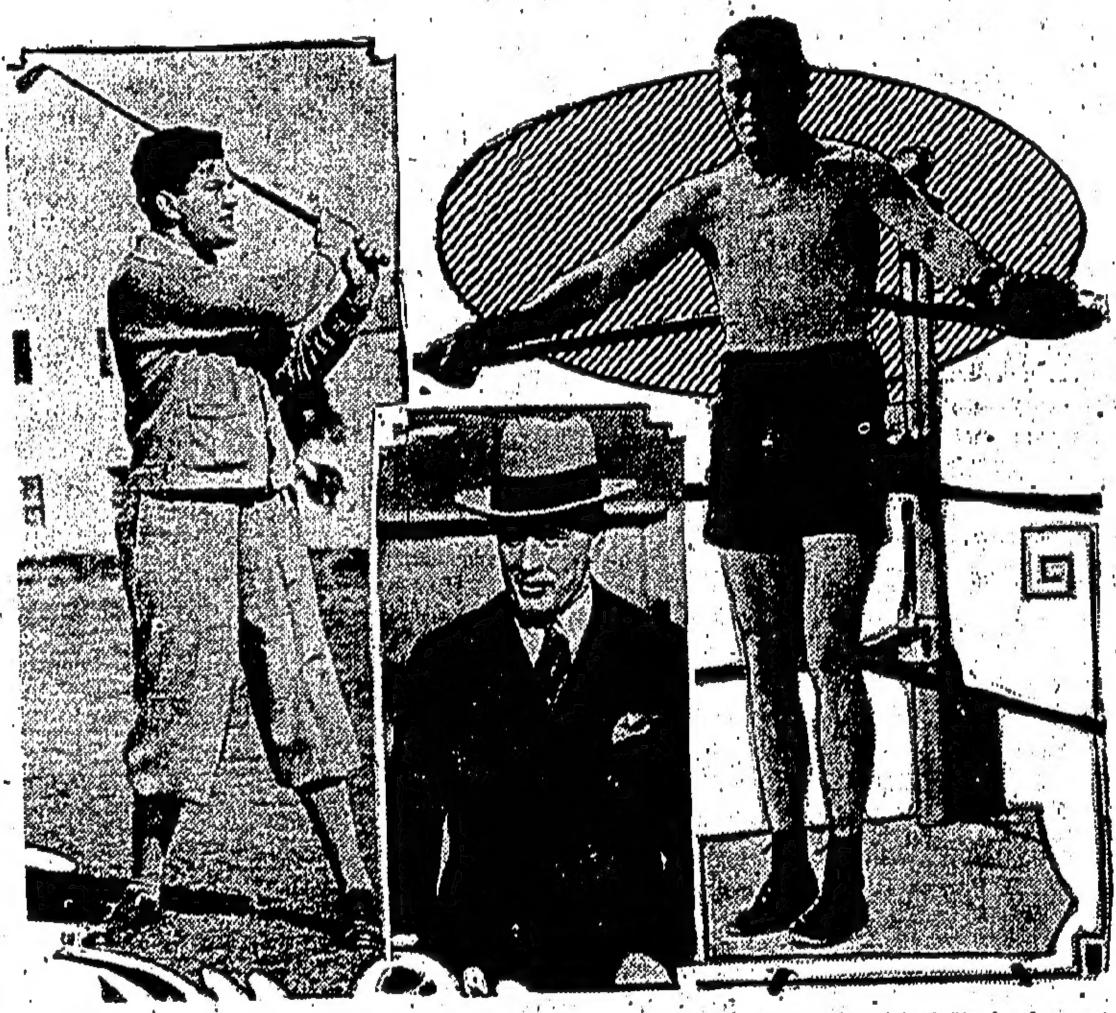
Pretty Alice Eastland, San Francisco debutante, who was "thrilled to death" by her flight from San Francisco to Montecito, Cal., with Colonel Charles A. Lindberg. Her father, Thomas B. Eastland, is a director of Trans-Continental Air Transport, Inc.

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Mrs. Helen Casey, a young Freeport, L. I., mother, whose home, police may, was filled with alleged stolen jewellery and furs. She was arrested on a charge of burglary.

Three Poses of Gene Tunney.



Three poses of Gene Tunney, ex-heavyweight champion of the world, who visited England recently. At left, the sportsman; centre, the society man and literature, and, right, the man who cut the redoubtable Jack Dempsey to ribbons to win the heavyweight championship.

Injured in Times Square Wreck.



killed 19 and maimed 160 others. Left Churles and eight-year old Alice Braith, who was sep-Switzer, lying in bed at French hospital with arated from parents in had seramble to get fractured skull and internal injuries; top, one out of the death from Manual Lover James J. Walker of injured theing placed in ambulance; for (back to caniera) is shown inquiring as to the emoval to hospital; below, Mrs. Ruth Heviel; child's injuries.

Victims in New York aubway tragedy which I land receiving medical attention on the scene,

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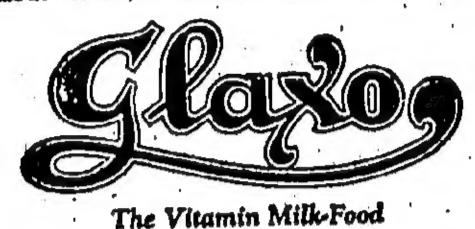
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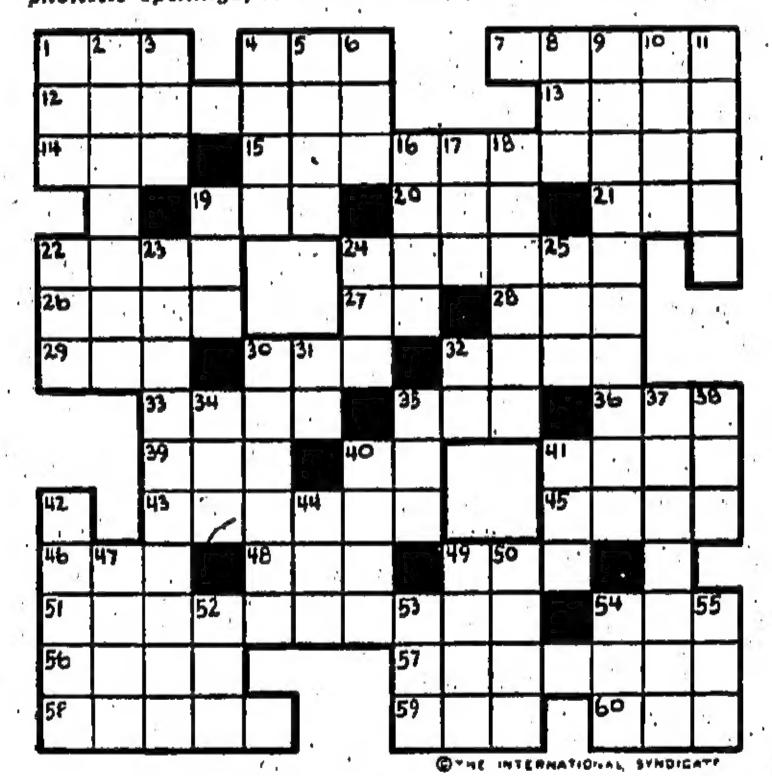


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direction of a

archbishop burnet

at the stake

58-A sacred memento

VERTICAL

tangent

57-An English

59-To shut in

60-Man's name

HORIZONTAL 45-Girl's name 1-S. State (abbr.) 46-And yet 4-A meadow 48-One of the metals 7-Early Inhabitants 49-A marsh of Scotland 12-A cod-like food fish 61-Moving in the 13-A hunting cry 14-To flow back 15-Bomething directly [64-A female servant observable 55-Town in Greenland

19-Preffx. From 20-Girl's name 21-To pull 22-Balow (Naut.) 24-Attention 26-A cereal grass 27-Upon 28-A large cask

29-A profix of Scottish 30-An old maxim 32-To worry 33-Markind collectively \$5-Have (Scot.) 33-The highest nountain in Creto C-Prefix. Two 1-A communication 43-in the same place

3-A priest's vestment 4-Native of Lapland 5-To reverberate 6-Same as "ache" 10-Personal pronoun 11-Lyrics

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Irregular Intervals 24-At the present time 25-A hint 30-Mediceval silk fabrio 31-Exist 32-Musical note 34-To name or style 35-Personal pronoun 37-A visionary 38-Cutting-tool

40-An Indentation 41-To gain 42-To send forth with audible sound 2-A well known plant 44-Nelse 47-Animosity 49-To travel (Poct) BD-A kingdom south of Assyria (Bible) 8-Suffix used to denote 52-An oil from clarified butter (Indla) 3-German for "I"

3-Friend (Franch)

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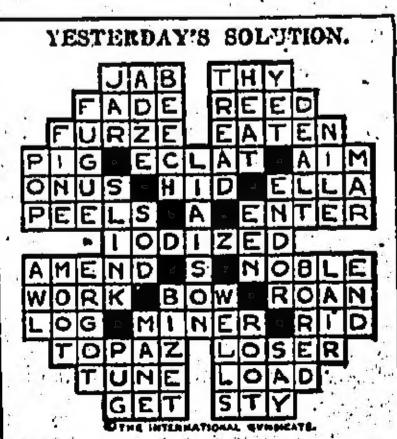
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UNIÓN WITH GERMANY?

Vienna.-Although a chorus o protest from the countries-France, Italy, and the States of the Little Entente-which are opposed Austro-German union has followed the holding of the tenth German Song Festival in the city of Vienna, the Viennese are very well satisfied with the results. Apart from politics, if the successful organisation of the festival surprised the Germans, it astounded the Viennese themselves. Their talent for selfdepreciation led them to anticipate that their world-famous "Schlampere"-the word is really untranslatable, being, like the thing itself, a specific Viennese product, but "slipshod superficiality" may serve-would cause the attempt to feed and house 200,000 Germans for five days to end in a nasco.

In point of fact, neither London, New York, nor Berlin could have managed better such great pacific invasion. Even the postal servants, most "difficult" of all Austrian officials, rose to the occasion showed a despatch urbanity little short of that displayed by the admirable police, the tramway personnel, hotel and house-owners, chauffeurs and restaurateurs. Artistically, there is glorious singing of the male voice choirs of 30,000 and 50,000 members. The finest possible tribute was thus paid in Schubert's centenary year to his memory by tector. hundreds of thousands of men of his own race. But the great result from both the Austrian and German point of view is the vast increase of strength accorded to the movement for the "Anschluss," the union of the Germans of Austria and of the Reich.

in the nature of a political sensaof which other Powers for the pre- cally indifferent and said so. sent forbid the banns.

Fraternisation. the Reception Committee gave to taken seriously in Vienna, but

the Germans quite publicly the their severity has been more than advice which every Austrian wants balanced by the unexpected and to give when he thinks of sharing generous recognition by the French bed and board with Prussia in Left Press that the "Anschluss" is particular: "Don't try to improve one of these natural and inevitable the Austrians; we are too old, our political processes which may incivilisation too ancient, for us to deed be delayed, but which cannot be susceptible of improvement, possibly be prevented. The atciliatory, easily bent; but the next scare on the score of German

back again."

The Germans took the advice. After witnessing the spontaneheld their peace and took things as have been compelled to revise their they found them. . To pretend, as views on the whole "Anschluss"

in the Hall of Song, was the singers' race in the family interests of the festival. Although it took nine that impossible conglomeration of hours to pass a given point, 'the peoples, Austria-Hungary. Viennese never faltered in their enthusiasm throughout a long, hot has merely become more urgent Sunday. Very little of the pro- owing to Austria's economic plight cession was in costume: it was since the disappearance of the just the placards bearing the names | Monarchy. The plea that "selfof the cities of the Reich and the determination" men in hot blue suits marching levery race behind them which called forth secure, but not such frantic enthusiasm. To a its independence, is clearly untenstrained delight of the defenceless trin wants to do. They secured little brother in the power and pos- their independence from Hapsburg sessions of his big brother and pro- and promptly sacrificed it by join-

and the politicians in Vienna. they alone cannot enjoy what has This ancient capital can stand been proclaimed by the Allies as much abuse, but cannot bear neglect. To be talked of at all the lapse of every year since the gives satisfaction to the masses. "conquest," that loses its force. In political circles there is real It is as wrong to imagine that satisfaction at the general tone of the effect of the festival is purely comment. Italy, doubtless satistransitory as it is to expect anything fied at what is generally called Dr. Seipel's "capitulation" in the South tion to follow it. For the first Tyrol question, remained perfectly time the Viennese masses have come calm; the Czechs, though angry into close contact with the masses said no more than had been antiof Germans drawn from every cipated. The Roumanians are too corner of the Reich; each has been little concerned with the whole given an opportunity of sizing up problem for the unusual vigour of the virtues and failings of the their comments to arouse any conselected partner in that marriage | crn. The Jugo Slava were practi-

French Protests Alone the strong protests of the Austrian member of French Nationalist Press have been

You will find us soft-natured, con- tempts made in Paris to raise moment you will find us bending ["Eastern Expansion" cannot be

Much in Vienna's easy-going ways ous enthusiasm of the Vienna must have startled them, but they crowds, many foreign observers is done in some quarters in Aus- question. Most of them realise tria, that the "Anschluss" de- that while it may not be expedient monstration at the Song Festival for the process to be carried out at was not officially organised is the moment, the refusal to apply the absurd. Yet, despite organisa- principle of self-determination only tion, it became a tremendously in the case of Austria cannot be impressive fraternal demonstration | maintained for ever. In 1918, the of the common people, quite apart | German-Austrians were in exactly from the plans of Governments the same position as the Slav and and diplomats. ... Roumanian races of the vanished The great popular demonstra- polyglot monarchy—artificially held tion, apart from the "official" one apart from the bulk of their own procession at the conclusion of the | Hapsburg dynasty, the inventors of

"Anschluss" is no new cry-it foreigner, it was a remarkable de- able. Slovaks, Transylvanians, monstration of the genuine, unre- and Croats did precisely what Ausing their own people. The only The critical echo from abroad honest answer to give to the Aussatisfies both the common people trians when they demand why a right is "vae victis"—and with

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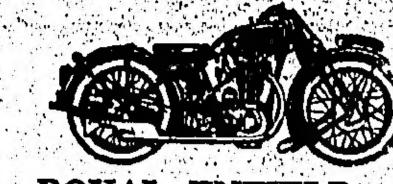


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Australia and New Zealand via Singapore and Thursday Islanddue Thursday Island, 16th Nov.

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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 28

*Carrespondence bearing vendel's name only,

Macao Tai Shan Swatow, Amoy and Formosa Kishu Maru 9 a.m.

THE REPUBLICANS OF FOREIGN GOODS

NEW REGULATIONS

THE SOVIET AND "NORMAL DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS"

PROHIBITED LIST

Moscow, Yesterday.

Council of Labour and Defence has decided to permit the triumph here last night as a re- for the formation of a proposed fence has decided to permit the transit of foreign goods through tort to Mr. Hoover's success in transit of foreign goods through tort to Mr. Hoover's success in the Soviet Republic, providing the New York on Monday. A thousand the requisite certificate of origin. frenzied approval.

lic is prohibited.—Reuter.

THE B.A.T.

TIENTSIN FACTORY TO BE CLOSED

ILLEGAL TAX SEQUEL .

Tientsin, Yesterday.

The British American Tobacco Company's factory here, which is the largest local industry, is being closed down with the result that thrown out of work.

A special Tax Bureau was recently formed with the express purpose of taxing the tobacco leaf going to the B.A.T. factory, and two shipments of leaf were confiscated as the Company refused to pay the tax owing to its illegality. It was pointed out that the

"anti-Red" taxes enforced when Tientsin was under the Northern regime were still functioning, and with the new "extortions" taxes in North China are the highest ever imposed. The officials collecting the tax possess no sanction from any government.—Reuter.

PRINCELY GIFT

DETAILS OF SIR A. BAILEY'S GENEROSITY

London, Yesterday.

The Secretary of the Royal Institute of International Affairs says that Sir Abe Bailey, the well-known racehorse owner and South African magnate, has endowed the Institute with £5,000 a year during his life-time, and has arranged the continuance of the endowment after his death.

Sir Abe Bailey's gift of £100,000 in the form of 1,250 quarterly payments in perpetuity to the Institute of International Affairs was made in a letter to the Prince

gratefully accepting. The Institute by Lord Balfour, Rt. Hon. Mr. J. morning. The fatalities are among the left, the coolie went in the op-Robert Cecil for the study of inter- trains. national affairs and found a per-

It comprises 1,500 members with were derailed. branches in Australia, and Canada. The three injured passengers are the vehicle. being honorary presidents.

The council of the Institute has estimated that £10,000 a year is disaster. required, and Sir Abe Bailey hopes that the remaining £5,000 will be result of the accident while the provided by the business community; telegraph wires are down. The the Bank of England, which con- ed to be missing.—Reuter. tributes £200 a year.

Sir Abe Bailey in his final letter to the secretary of the Institute rejoices to learn that the Institute will represent Great Britain at the Institute of Pacific Relations and will be entitled to send parties to its conferences in the Far East.

CONFLAGRATION

00 BUILDINGS DESTROYED U N. HOKKAIDO

Tokyo, Yesterday. number of important buildings, in years.—Reuter.

the main portion of the town of the main portion of the town of the complainment was traced. Wakanai, northern Hokkaido, have

RUSSIA AND TRANSIT "AL" SMITH TROUNCES PROBLEM OF GERMAN

BIG BOSTON RALLY

14,000 "ROAR IN FRENZIED APPROVAL"

STATE SOCIALISM CRY

Boston, Yesterday.

Governor Smith had a decided. treaties, and are accompanied by ing while 14,000 people roared in

The Commissariat of Trade has Governor Smith met Mr. Hoover's care. clared that if his course of action Wirelss Service. made him a Socialist, then Republicans such as Roosevelt and Hughes were Socialists for opposing the alienation of water power in New York State and members of Congress, were Socialist for voting in favour of McNary-Haugen Farm Relief and

Muscle Shoals Bills. . The cry of State Socialism was subterfuge, an old stock phrase of special interests. It was the cry 4,000 Chinese employees will be of Republican reactionaries, who for a quarter of a century had been battling against every progressive welfare and labour measure.

Portland, Ore., Yesterday. Senator Norris (Progressive) announces that he will suport "Al" Smith in the Presidential election. -Reuter's American Service.

MODERATE AND FINE

N. E. winds, moderate, fine is the forecast till noon to-morrow. An anticyclone is central near Vladivostock. The typhoon appears to be about 200 miles E. of Manila but its position and direction of motion are uncertain. Another typhoon is shown about 150 monsoon will continue along the S. E. coast of China and over the N. China Sea.

RAILWAY SMASH

ASSENGER AND GOODS TRAIL COLLIDE IN SCOTLAND

4 KILLED: 8 INJURED

London, Yesterday.

Clynes, Lord Grey and Lord the drivers and firemen of the two posite direction.

the Prime Ministers of all the not badly hurt. It appears that Dominions and the Viceroy of India two luggage vans in the front of the train saved the passenger

The main line is blocked as a

\$19,900,000 BEING RAISED IN

NEW YORK

Tokyo, Yesterday, him.

tion.—Reuter their children.

REPARATIONS

FRUITFUL TALK

POINCARE AND CHURCHILL MEET IN PARIS

COMMITTEE OF EXPERTS

London, Yesterday.

It is understood that preparations Committee of Experts on German regoods are moved between countries people, eager to secure admission, parations have been considerably with which the Soviet has normal broke down the doors of the hall incilitated by a conversation which diplomatic relations and trade where Governor Smith was speak- took place in Paris last Friday between Mr.: Churchill and M. Poin-

drawn up lists of goods of which challenge that he proposed to meet. It is considered probable that a transit through the Soviet Repub- perplexing problems by resorting to Committee of Experts will meet be-State Socialism. The Governor de- fore the end of the year.—British

STOLEN MONEY

JAPANESE PURSER'S "NIGHT

INDIFFERENT TO LOSS

Fumio Incuye, second purser of the s.s. "Tenyo Maru," who was the victim of a robbery in Wanchai on Wednesday night, made the unusual request to Mr. R. E. Lindsell this morning that whatever money was recovered should be handed over to the man accused of the theft

Inouye said that when he discovered the loss of his pocket book, he concluded that it was lost through his own carelessness, and he had so little hope of its recovery that he did not even trouble to make a report to the police. He did not want any of the money

Replying to the Magistrate, Deective Sergeant Whelan said that four one yen notes had been recovered on the person of the accused, a riceha coolie.

Magistrate Dissents

Mr. Lindsell told Incure that he certainly would not agree to hand miles N.N.E. of Guam probably the money over to the accused if moving N. W. Moderate to fresh | it were proved that he was the culprit. It was not the right thing, his Worship said, to give to a thief what he had stolen. If Inouye did not want the money, Mr. Lindsell suggested that he allow it to be placed in the Court's poor box.

> Inouye agreed to this course, and left the Court immediately after completing his evidence to rejoin his ship, which is due to sail to-

Inouye's evidence was that on Wednesday night he and four other members of the crew went to the Four persons have been killed Chitose Hotel at Wanchai. He of Wales, who is head of the and three injured in a collision drank as much beer as he wanted Institute. His Highness replied between a London to Aberdeen to and when he left the hotel alone passenger train and a goods train he was not sober. He entered a at Lockerbie in Dumfriesshire. The ricsha and said "ferry" in English The Institute was founded in 1920 collision took place at 3.15 in the to the coolie. Instead of turning to

Witness realised that the coolie The express, which was drawn was going the wrong way and callmanent home in 1923 at Chatham by two engines, ran into the rear ed out to him in English to stop, House presented by the Canadians, of the goods train, and the two but the coolie continued to run. Colonel and Mrs. Leonard. It was engines and the leading van were The coolie ran for about 15 minutes granted the Royal Charter defining hurled into a field alongside the along small streets and then enterits strictly non-political character. line. The following six coaches ed a lane. Here four other coolies came up and helped witness out of

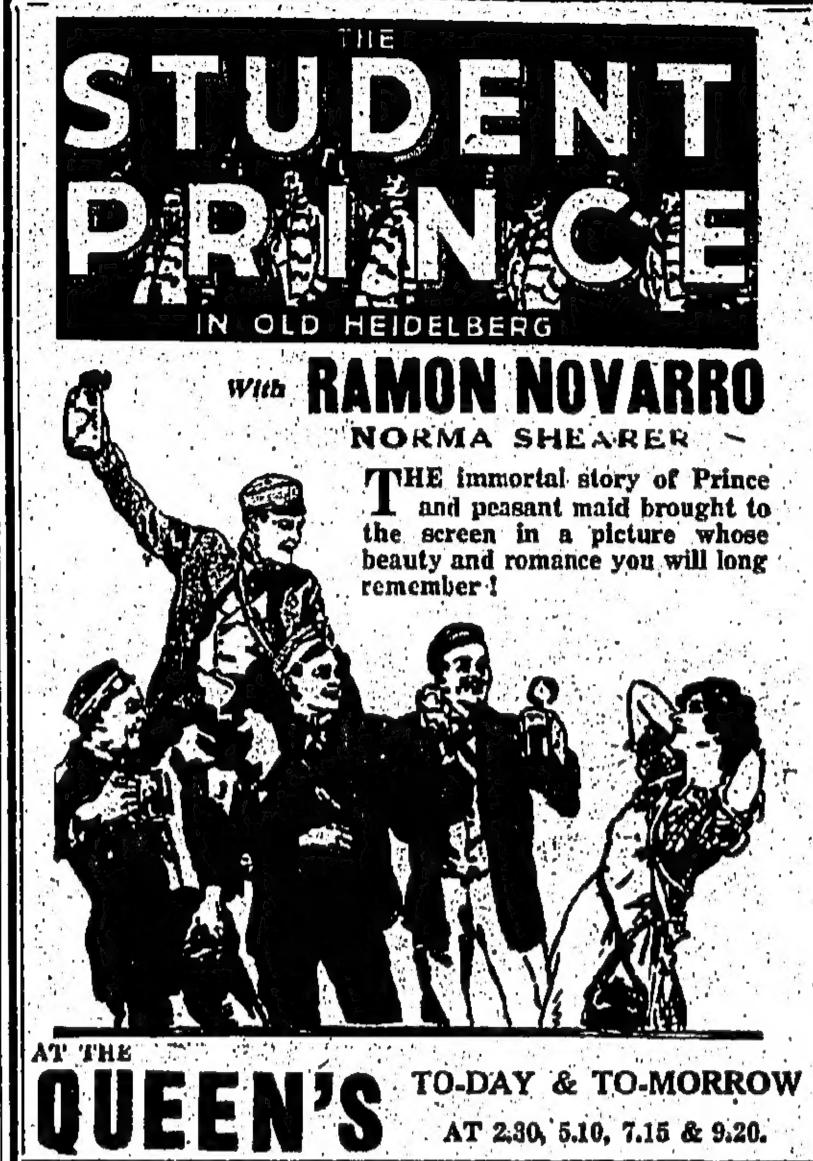
Pocket Book Gone

He (Inouye) then proceeded to walk back towards town. He had section of the train from possible gone a little way when he discovered his pocket book was missing. It contained \$18 in Hong Kong currency and 14 yen. Not having in accordance with the example of guard of the goods train is report any money to cross the harbour, he returned to the Chitose Hotel to sleep and the following morning returned to his ship.

At 6 p.m. yesterday word was sent to him on the ship that a man had been arrested. He then went to No. 2 Police Station, where he saw the accused and recognised

It is learned on good authority Asked by the Magistrate how the that negotiations are in progress accused was arrested. Detective for floating a loan of \$19,900,000 by Sergeant Whelan said that the the Oriental Development Company police received information yesteron the New York market. The day morning and took the accused deal is virtually completed and it into joustody. When questioned, is expected that it will be signed accused said that he had no money on November 10. It is under on him, but after a search four one stood that the loan will be issued yen notes were found concealed in at 90 with interest at 5% per cent, the top end of one of his sandles. Over 700 houses, including a and will be redeemable in thirty inquiries were then made and the

On the application of the defendbeen reduced to ashes as a result Albert Hunt, 60, tie manufac ing solicitor, Mr. Leo d'Almada, of a conflagration which broke out turer, of Albert-road, Peckham, Sen. who said he had a case that shortly after midnight and raged S.E., was found dead on the beach morning in Chambers at the for several hours. Two persons at Southend on Sea. by his wife, Supreme Court, further hearing of lost their lives in the configgra- after she had been paddling with the case was adjourned until tomorrow morning.



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